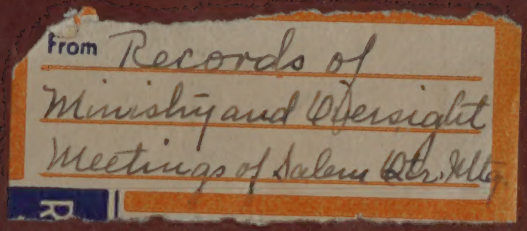
From Records of
Ministry and Oversight
Meetings of Salem Qtr. Mtg

Records of Meeting of Ministry and Oversight.

Clerks of Meetings in Ministry and Oversight

Amesbury - ~~Sarah S. Brown~~ ~~Hattie E. Jacob~~ R. Ewd. Kelsey

Lynn - ~~Mary S. Pain~~ Grace P. Atkins

Boston - ~~Thomas Wood~~ Laura M. Oakley

Lawrence - ~~Lucinda Wood~~ Emily Batty

Salem Quarterly Meeting of
Ministry and Oversight—
held at Amesbury—Fifth month 24th
1916.

By accounts received from our local
Meetings on Ministry and Oversight
the Representatives under appointment
to attend this meeting are as follows
From Salem—Anna N. Paige, Earle J. Harold
Mary S. Paige & Josephine H. Carr
From Amesbury—Sarah A. Hill
Sarah D Brown & Ruth E. Osborn
From Weare—Lindley H. Hall & Alice C. Winslow
From Boston. Dennis A Paige
Martha C. Swan. & Lindsey S. Jones
From Lawrence. Zillah Burns
Irving Bliss & Asenath Wood

whose names being called are
all present - except one /

The time for which the clerk was
appointed having expired, Zillah Binns
& D. L. Maxfield. are appointed to bring in a
name - Said committee nominating Lucy J. Hubbel -
the name was united with & appointment -
made for one year -
The Queries have been read.
also the reports of the spiritual condition
of our Local Meetings. a Summary of
which has been prepared and is directed
to be forwarded to the Yearly Meeting
on Ministry & Oversight:

Lawrence Monthly Meeting proposes the
name of Asenath Wood for an Elder -
to serve for three years. We approve of
her appointment - & the clerk is
directed to inform said Monthly Mtg

We appoint as our Representatives to the Yearly Meeting of M & O
Susan H. Meader Lillah Burns
Earle J. Harrod & Mary V. Paige

Reports from our local meetings have been read and a summary decided to be prepared for our Yearly Meeting of Ministry & Oversight to be held in Barnesboro Sixth mo 27th.

Wilbur K. Thomas urged the use of the Friends Theological Library and asked that we might ask the Yearly Meeting for $25.00 for said Library which was united with.

The business being concluded we adjourn to meet in Lynn, Eighth mo next.

Lucy T. Herbert - Clerk.

Lynn Mass - Eighth mo 16th 1916.

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry & Oversight:

By accounts received from our Local Meetings of Ministry and Oversight: the representatives appointed to attend this meeting are from Salem — Anna W. Paige, Charlotte C. Kitchen, George H. Jones & Martha C. Jepson Amesbury Daniel C Maxfield, Alice W Maxfield and Edith E. Osborne Weare —

Alice C. Winslow.

Boston Susan H. Meader, Elizabeth W Swan
& Wilbur K. Thomas.
Lawrence
Emily Batty
whose names being called are all
present: except two

The Representatives to the Yearly Meeting
on M & O
1 report - that they attended.

The Queries have been read.
together with reports from our local
Meetings
The question in query second -
"Have you an earnest religious
exercise for the conversion of
sinners and for the building up
of believers?" was earnestly and

thought fully considered & discussed with the expressed desire that we may assume the personal responsibility of carrying the message to our neighbors, our fellow members - our Sabbath School children, to any as we have opportunity
We must have Jesus Christ, before we can help others to receive Him. —

Business being concluded
The meeting adjourns
Lucy T. Heebner - Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry & Oversight held at Lawrence Mass - Tenth mo 21st 1916.

By accounts received from our local meetings of Ministry & Oversight. the Representatives appointed to attend this meeting are from

Salem Josephine H Carr Ellen C. Jones and Cyrus Jones.

Amesbury Daniel C. Macfeed Ruth E. Osborne - and S. Elma Goddard

Weare

Alfred Osborne & Lindley H Hall

Boston Mary A Gove - Lindley S. Jones Mary S. Townsend & Susan M. Meader -

Lawrence

Joseph Batty & Emily Batty.

Whose names being called are ~~all~~ present, except four —

(Read words)
The Queries have been read together with 1 written report from four of our Meetings

The Local Meetings are all requested to send reports of the spiritual life & the condition of their Meetings, that we may be understandingly, sympathetically helpful — in their needs & problems!

Salem Monthly Meeting on January 4th and Arrangements presents the names of George H Jones Anna W. Paige W. Carleton Jones & Abby D. Reade — for the station of Elder and —

Weare Ins Dist the name of
Lucy P. Osborne for the same station
There names being ~~approved~~ comprised we
~~they are appointed for three years~~
return them to the Ins Dists authority approved
Lulla Bunt spoke of the long term
7 years this session of the D. Mtg had
been held in Weare — (103 years)
and expressed sympathy for the
Friends in Weare because of the
necessary change at this time.

There being no further business
we conclude. Imposing to
meet in Boston in 5th Fund-Month
1917 —

Lucy P. Herbert
Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry
and Oversight held First month
17th 1917.

By accounts received from our Local
Meetings of Ministry & Oversight —
the Representatives appointed to attend
this meeting are — from

Salem Josephine M. Carr. Mary L. Paige
Cadle F. Mendenhall Charles Burke

Amesbury
David C. Maxfield Sarah D. Brown

Weare

none

Boston
Elizabeth Swan, Dennis Paige & Annetta Kirk

Lawrence
Lillah Burns

Whose names being called are
present except four —
(Read records.)
Reports have been read from —
the various meetings

There being no business the
meeting adjourned
Lucy F. Heebner —
Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting on
Munday & Oversight held
Fifth month 22nd 1917

By accounts received from our
Local Meetings on Munday & Oversight
The Representatives appointed to attend
this meeting are Jane
Salem George & Jones Josephine & Lau
Tom A Sykes & Anna D. Paige
Amesbury - Ellen M. Osborne.
Daniel C. Maxfield & Sarah D Bunn
Weare, Lindley H. Farr & Alice C. Winslow
Boston Mary E. Townsend. Martha C. Swan
& Dennis A Paige
Lawrence - Emily Batty & Lillah Binns

Whose names being called are
present. except Jane.

the time for which the clerk was appointed having expired we appoint Lucy T. Herbert to that service for one year.

The Queries have been read.

Boston Monthly Meeting presents the names of Eliza C. Gardner. Elizabeth W Swan. Dennis A Paige & Mary B Swan. & Lawrence Monthly July the names of Mary A. Chace - Ella Johnson and Joseph Batty. for the station of Elder for three years. There are united with & the Clerk is directed to inform the Monthly Meetings.

We appoint as our Representatives to the Yearly Meeting on Nantucket and Newsight -

Josephine H Carr

Lucy T. Herbert

Anna W. Paige Mary P. Townsend
Wilbur K. Thomas Alice W. Maxfield
Earle L. Wood.

Reports have been read from the Local Meetings on Ministry & Oversight - a Summary of which has been prepared, and is directed to be forwarded to the Y. Meeting on Ministry & Oversight: to be held in, Providence.

There being no further business the meeting now adjourns

Lucy P. Herbert - Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Friends
held at Arch street Eighth mo 16th
1917

By accounts received from our Local
Meetings our Quarterly & Monthly
the Representatives appointed to
attend this Meeting are from
Salem Anna W Paige, Charles Burk -
George H Jones. Lucy T. Herbert & Josephine P. Carr.
Boston
Dennis H Paige & Lindsey L Jones
Amesbury
Daniel C. Mansfield & Ruth E. Osborne
Weare
Lindley H Farr
Lawrence
Lillah Burns & Emily Batty
Whose names being called are present
except four.

The Representatives to the Yearly
Meeting on Twinsday & Overnight - report
that they attended with the exception

The Queries have been read.
~~Together with~~ reports from our
Local Meetings show a deepening
interest & earnestness in desire & service
which augurs hopefully for our future work

A minute for service from the Meeting of
Twinsday & Overnight in Oregon Yearly Meeting
has been read - for Robert Dann who is
in Lynn & E Lynn Meetings for the summer
a cordial welcome & appreciation was
extended to him from those who heard
him. Under a sense of the fact-finding of
the Master we adjourn & meet in course in
Tenth mo next - Lucy T. Rachel - Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry & Oversight held South 1mo. 17th 1917
at Weare N.H.

By accounts received from our several Meetings the Representatives appointed to attend this Meeting are from ~~Salem~~
Salem George H. Jones & Jennie N. Crowell

Boston.

Amesbury Daniel C. Mansfield &
Ruth E. Osborne

Weare

Lawrence Joseph Batty. Emily Batty.
Zilla Burns.

who are present, except

The Clerk being absent Daniel C. Mansfield was appointed Clerk for the day.

The records of the previous meeting is not present. motion are there any Minutes from the Local Indgs on Morality & Arranged. which are regret.

The enclosed Minute from Salem Monthly Indg was read. This Meeting approves the action of Salem Mo Meeting in appointing Martha C. Jepson Jennie L. Crowman & Charlotte C. Kitchen to the station of Elders for three years. The Meeting then concluded

Daniel C. Mansfield
Clerk for the day

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry & Oversight held in Boston Sixth Month 16th 1918.

By accounts received from our Local Meetings on Ministry & Oversight the Representatives appointed to attend this Meeting are from

Boston Elizabeth W. Swan -
Mary C. Townsend Frances L. Paige

Salem Anna N. Page. Josephine H. Ellis
and Edith L. Hazard -

Amesbury
Daniel C. Maxfield & Alice N. Maxfield

Weare ho representative appointed.

Lawrence
Tom A Sykes.

who are present - Except one

Reports have been received from the ~~next general meeting~~ Local meetings, which with the reading the Letters & messages from the Board have brought us into Earnest & Solemn Thought.

Alice R Jones & Anna M Page are appointed to keep forward a name for Clerk to be nominated for the ensuing year.

This Meeting appoints the Acting of Bertha Mc Daff in recommending to the Quarterly Meeting for 3 years Susan H Meredith. Mary D Arnold & Thomas Wood — & the Clerk is directed to inform the Meeting of our action.

This Duty is concluded

Susan T. Hallett Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury Fifth Month 22nd 1918.

By accounts received from our local Meetings the Representatives appointed to attend this Meeting are from

Salem Lucy J. Herbert Anna N. Paige and Josephine H Carr.

Boston Dennis A Paige - Susan H. Meader and Elizabeth W. Swan.

Amesbury Sarah D. Brown and Sarah A. Hill

Weare Lindley H. Osborne

Lawrence Lilah Binns

Whose names being called are present-
except four -

The time for which the Clerk was
appointed having expired. The Com'
reports no one secured for the place &
they are continued to attend at our next
The Queries have been read.

The action of Boston Monthly Meeting in
recommending names for the station
of elder at our last meeting - being
irregular - the names are again presented
for our consideration -

We restate our approval
and the clerk is directed to inform
Boston Monthly Meeting.

Weare Monthly Meeting presents the

names of Lindley H Farr. and Alfred Osborn and Lawrence Monthly Meeting the names of Lillah Burns and Jessie M. Globe for Elders for three years

We unite with the appointment of these above named and direct the Clerk to inform their Monthly Meetings

The reports of the "Spiritual life" of three of our local meetings have been read.

The Clerk is directed to prepare a summary (in conference with the Clerk of the Quarterly Meeting) and send to the Yearly Meeting on Ministry & Oversight.

We adjourn to meet at this P.M. to Consider the relation of the Meeting of Thursday & Oversight to the Bible School

Bro A Sykes compared us to the Drivers in a Mill whose business it is to see that results are obtained.

If nothing is accomplished it is a reflection on us - The same compelling power & presence that "almost persuaded" King Agrippa, did persuade thousands later to come & join a Society that viewed the coming - If we miss the opportunity of compelling the Children of our neighborhood to come into our Bible Schools - We must suffer & answer for it. - If we had the power of Pentecost we should do it.

When we slow up physically we have more time to listen to God's Spirit - speak to us

If we believe we must act -

Mary S Paige told of her class of boys one of whom is now teaching a class -

Ruth Osborne & others spoke of the work in the different schools. In Manchester An Elizabeth Fry class of fifteen girls has been formed.

There being no Bible School Conference the report of the Supt. Herbert Hood was read.

The meeting adjourned

Lucy T. Herbert -
Clerk -

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry
and Oversight held at Lynn
Eighth month 14th 1910.

By accounts received from our
several meetings the Commissioners
appointed to attend this meeting
are from Salem
Emma A Fisher Lizzie Lane
Ruby Conner Mary E. Page
Martha C Peirson Mary A Jones
and Emma J Page.

Boston Martha Swan Susan Headen
Dennis Page Mary P. Townsend.

Amesbury
Daniel C. Maxfield
Alice M. Maxfield

Meare Sunday 6. Farr
Lawrence — & Zilah Binns

Who are present.
The committee appointed to secure a clerk not being ready to report is continued, ~~and~~

Salem Local meeting on M & O. informs us that in its judgment Robert H. Dann, a member of that meeting, has received a gift in the ministry, whereupon we appoint Thomas Wood, Mary S. Paige and David C. Mansfield a committee to consider the subject and report to a future meeting.

Reports from local meeting given verbally, show that in Salem, Lynn & East Lynn the work drags from the effects of the warm weather, it has been decided

to hold meetings on ministry & oversight more frequently. Howard E. Ritzel is doing good work at East Weare Meeting

In Boston the interest in the services is maintained and are fairly well attended. Wilbur K. Thomas has been released for service in Phila. with the Friends Reconstruction Service Committee.

David Henley has acceptably filled the vacancy in Boston meeting. The Bible School is closed for the summer. The play ground has been successfully carried on under the supervision of three employed ladies. The enrollment has been 175.

In Amesbury Friends united with two other congregations in holding some of their meetings which are larger during the summer.

The meeting at Pittsfield has been kept up, and altho small. They report fairly good courage.

The meeting at Weare is larger during the summer.
The most hopeful activity has been in the line of Relief work.
Two or three young persons have been received into membership
Lawrence - several visitors in the ministry have attended the meeting.
Some of the boys have shown much interest in singing

The business being concluded we adjourn to meet ~~any~~ at Lawrence in the 7th month

Lucy T. Herbert
Clerk

The meeting at Lawrence in 10th mo was omitted on account of Influenza

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight held in Roxbury - Jan 16th 1919.

By accounts received from our Local Meetings the Representatives appointed to attend this meeting are from Salem,

Josephine N Carr, Ellen C. Jones. Lucy T. Herbert, Mary S. Paige and George H Jones

Boston Alice R Jones, Anna B. Saul and Georgia B. Wood -

Amesbury -

Daniel C Maxfield. Alice W. Maxfield

Weare

Alice C. Winslow

Lawrence

Asenath Wood -

who are present,-

The Committee appointed to secure a Clerk, propose the name of Mary S. Paige which is united with and she is appointed to that office for one year.

The following nominations for Elders submitted by Boston & Salem Monthly Meetings are approved by this meeting, viz:-

For Boston. Charles Kelly, Alice R. Jones & L. Tyler Townsend.

For Salem Ellen C. Jones, Sylvina A. Manning, John N. Mader, Ruth A. Austin & Laura A. Wiley

The Queries have been read

Reports have been given from Quarterly, Boston,

Sarasota & Salem Local Meetings on Ministry & Oversight showing the conditions in their local meetings.

In the future our Local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight are asked to arrange for some one of their representatives to give a report of their congregations - either written or verbal.

The Committee appointed at our meeting in the Eighth Month to consider the subject of recording Robert H. Dann as a minister has reported that in its judgment he has received a gift in the ministry and that the time has come when it should be recognized. We are united in approving the report of the Committee and the Clerk is directed to inform Salem Monthly Meeting of our action.

A proposition has been made that we appoint a committee to do something in the line of helping us make meetings, opening closed meeting houses or entering new territory. We approve this proposition and appoint the following Friends to serve on such a committee, with the understanding that this committee will act in conference with the Quarterly Meetings Committee on Evangelistic Work and with the Yearly Meeting Superintendent for the district.

Thomas Wood, Ruth E. Osborne, Lucy F. Herbert
Joseph Bailey & Alice C. Winslow

The business coming before us being transacted, we conclude postponing to meet at the usual time in Eighth Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Mary S. Paige, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting in Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury Eighth Month 21st 1879.

The Representatives to Two meetings named in the accounts received from the local meetings are as follows:

Salem — Anna M. Craig Lucy F. Hubbard
* Lucy H. Jones Ellen C. Jones
× Lucy C. Hubbard

Plainfield — Lindley H. Holmes Alice C. Winslow

Amesbury — × Sarah D. Brown Alice N. Mayfield
Sarah A. Hill

Lynnfield — Ida E. Nichols

Boston — S. H. Mendenhall × Mary Lewis Dennis Cary
× Thomas Ward

Who are present with three exceptions

Amesbury Monthly Meeting proposes the

Names of Daniel C. Mayfield Alice N. Mayfield
Sarah A. Hill, Sarah D. Brown

Albert D. Pearson in Edwin for three years with which no unity

We also unite in offering the nomination of Permelia Hardy, also for three years, made by Lawrence Monthly Meeting

The Iowa Law Law reads

We appoint as our Representatives to the Yearly Meeting on Friends Concerns the following Friends, viz:

~~Edwin Evans Lucy Evans~~ Edwin J. Hinshaw Lucy E. Widney Bennie Paige Emma C. Pearson Alice N. Mayfield. Emma W. Paige

The committee appointed at our last meeting on work for smaller meetings has reported that it has endeavored to take such measures

three meetings. The request is made that the Committee be relieved from further service as it fails to have accomplished what it was when the time of its appointment. The request is granted and the committee relieved.

Reports have been given of conditions in the different meetings.

The proposition has been made that the hour of holding this meeting be changed to 11 o'clock when held at Simsbury. The meeting unites with the proposition and the change is made

The business coming before us having been accomplished, we adjourn, we meet in open in the Eighth Month

Signed on behalf of the meeting. Wm. S. Paige Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn Eighth Month 20th 1919.

According to the accounts received from our local meetings the Representatives to this meeting are

Salem - Martha C. Jepson, Mary S. Paige
Robert H. Dunn

Dover - Alice C. Winslow

Amesbury - Daniel C. Muffield
Ruth E. Osborne

Lawrence - Zillah Binns

Boston - Susan H. Meader
Alice R. Jones
Elizabeth M. Swan
Dennis A. Paige

who are present with their credentials.

The Queries have been read.

Reports have been given of the work in all our different congregations. These have been carefully considered and have showed us much if need and much to encourage us. It has been noticable that the reports from our country meetings have been the most encouraging while the city meetings have felt increasingly the difficulty of work during the summer.

The business being transacted we conclude to meet at North Wrentham R. I. at the usual time in Twelfth Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting
Mary S. Paige, Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at North Moore, N. H. Fourth Month 15th 1917.

The representatives appointed by our Local meeting on Ministry and Oversight, to attend this meeting are as follows—

Salem — Emma N. Paige, Robert N. Dearn
Sophia N. Carr.

Moore — Lindley A. Fay, Lindley F. Osborne

Amesbury — Daniel C. Mayfield, J. Elmer Goddard, Alice N. Mayfield

Lawrence — Irving E. Bliss

Boston — Dennis A. Paige
Martha P. Dustin

Eleven present except one
The queries have been read

Salem Monthly Meeting presents the following
Minute of Friends to give an
~~Recommendations for~~ Elders for three years, viz
George F. Jones, Emma V. Paige, F. Carlton Jones
Libby D. Burdo. This meeting affirms the
Appointments.

Reports have been given of conditions in our
several meetings showing that the summer work
in our country meetings has apparently had
results which are continuing even after the
workers have left.

The business being accomplished we conclude
forbearing to meet at Boston at the usual
time in the First Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting
Mary V. Paige, Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, held at Boston First Month 14th 1920.

By accounts received from our Local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight, the Representatives appointed to attend this meeting are from

Salem - Josephine A. Carr × Robert H. Dunn
George A. Bruce, George C. Herbert
Ellen C. Bruce

- Amesbury Daniel C. Mayfield Alice H. Mayfield

Wear

Boston Martha S. Brown Mary Brown × Hollis Bonker
Ralph B. Wilder × Bessie W. Page

Lawrence - Gilbert Bruce

who are present with 3 exceptions

The time having expired for which the Clerk was appointed Mary V. Pearce is named to serve in that capacity for

The Queries have been read.

Exeter Monthly Meeting proposes the names of Mary B. Swan, Elizabeth W. Swan and Dennis R. Page for the station of Elder for three years. These nominations are approved by this meeting.

Reports have been given of the meetings Monthly Meetings, with the exception of Dover from which no representatives are present.

Charles E. Tebbetts and David M. Edwards have brought to this meeting messages in connection with the Union Church Work Movement and the Friends Forward Move-

Merit.

The Petitioner expressly before me Henry
Accomplished the execution Deed and it made
the Necessary and the Fifth Month
Signed on behalf of the meeting
Henry H. Reiger Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury Fifth Month 26th 1920.

The following representatives named in the accounts from the local meetings are present with the exception, viz:-

Salem - Alethea Jones. Anna W. Paige
Martha C. Upton. George H. Jones
Amesbury - Sarah L. Brown Alice N. Maxfield
Lawrence - Ruth Hainsworth
Weare -
Boston -

Lawrence Monthly Meeting proposes the appointment of Mary A. Chase and Joseph Batty to the station of Elder for three years. This proposition meets with our approval and the clerk is

directed to so inform Lawrence meeting.

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury Fifth Month 26th 19

The Clerk being absent, Daniel C. Mayfield was appointed Clerk for the day.

The names of representatives from Salem, Amesbury and Lawrence were called and were present except three. No accounts received from Boston and Wells.

Lawrence Monthly Meeting proposes the names of Mary A. Chase and Joseph Batty as elders for three years which is approved by this meeting and the Clerk is directed to inform Lawrence Monthly Meeting of our action.

The following Friends were appointed as representatives to the Yearly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight, viz:

Alice W. Mayfield, Mary S. Paige, Daniel C. Mayfield, Walter S. Dexter, Thomas Wood, Arthur Jones and

Robert H. Daum.

The meeting then concluded.

Daniel C. Mudfield, Clerk for the day

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn. Eighth Month 18th, 19

The Representatives to this meeting as named in the accounts from the local meetings on Ministry and Oversight of Salem, Amesbury & Lynn are

Salem George H. Ines, Lucy F. Hubbs, George S. Hubbs and Anna N. Paige

Amesbury Hattie E. Jacobs & David C. Maffitt

Near

Lawrence

Lynn Walter F. Dyer, Epie Estes, Susan H. Meader, Emma A. Paige.

who are present with 3 exceptions

Lawrence —— reports that the meeting on Ministry & Oversight was not held. No accounts have been

received from Weare

The Queries have been read

Verbal reports have been given of the work in all our meetings except Manchester North Weare Hancock + Pittsfield

No further business appearing, we conclude by proposing to meet at Lawrence at the established time in the Fourth Month

Signed on behalf of the Meeting
Mary S. Paige Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry & Oversight held at Lawrence, Tenth Month 23 - 1920

Names of the following Representatives appointed to our local meetings on Ministry & Oversight have been called.

Amesbury - Alice N. Martin Daniel C. Morgan
Salem - Josephine H. Carr. Mary S. Paige
Emma A. Fisher Anna N. Paige
Wenham -
Boxford - Dennis A. Paige Walter F. Dustin
Martha Swan. Elizabeth Swan
Lawrence - Irving Bliss. Zilla Bliss
Joseph Batty

Who are not present except these
No records from Wenham

The Queries have been read.

Verbal Reports have been given from Amesbury, Boston, Salem and Lawrence local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight

Salem Monthly Meeting proposes the names of Cyrus Jones and Hannah E. MacLean to serve as Elders for three years. Their uniting appears of such appointment.

No further business coming, we conclude postponing to meet in Boston at the usual time in the First Month at 4 hr 5 min.

Signed on behalf of the meeting.

Mary S. Paige, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting in Ministry and Oversight held in Boston, First Month 19th 192

By accounts received from the local meetings in Ministry and Oversight we are informed that the representatives appointed to attend this meeting are for

Salem Josephine N. Carr. Cyrus Jones
Lucy A. Jones

Vacancy

Amesbury Daniel C. Mayfield
Alice W. Mayfield

Boston 3

Lawrence & Hilma Proudfoot. Kenneth Wood

Of these ~~six~~ nine are present ~~except~~

In the absence of the Clerk Martha C. Eaton was appointed to serve for the day

The time having expired for which the Clerk was appointed Tyler Tennent & Griffin H. Carr were appointed to ~~this position for the ensuing~~ print a nomination for Clerk at the next Meeting

Queries have been read.

Bolton Monthly Meeting submits the names of Susan H. Meeder, Mary L. Tomlinson and Emma Ware for Elders. These nominations are approved.

Verbal reports have been given from Concord, Bolton, Salem & Lawrence Meetings on Minutes and Queries

The business being accomplished, we conclude postponing to meet at Hamburg at the usual time on the Fifth Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Walter F. Taylor
Clerk for the day.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury Fifth Month 25th, 1921.

The Representatives to this meeting as named by the Local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight are

For Salem — Josephine H. Carr, George H. Jones
Emma M. Paige Emma A. Fisher

Amesbury — Cynthia H. Haviland, Sarah A. Hill
Hattie E. Jacob

Weare — no records

Dover — Dennis Paige Mary I. Townsend
Minnie Kirk. Elizabeth Swan

Lawrence — Zilla Binns Ruth Hainesworth

who are present except four.

The records of the last meeting have been read.

The Committee to nominate a Clerk

presented the name of Mary S. Paige, which being considered is approved and she is appointed to that service for one year.

The Queries have been read.

We appoint the following Friends as our Representatives to attend the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight at Providence Sixth Month 21st, viz.

Zilla Binns Daniel C. Mayfield
Mary S. Paige Alice C. Winslow

Lawrence Monthly Meeting proposes the names of Zilla Binns and Jessie M. Glover for appointment to the station of Elder for 3 years. The nominations are approved and the Clerk is

directed to so inform Lawrence Monthly Meeting.

No further business coming up, we conclude tarrying to meet on Sixth at the established time in the Eighth Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Mary W. Craig Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn, Eighth Month 17th, 1921.

The Representatives to this meeting from our Local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight are as follows:-

Salem - Anna W. Paige, George H. Jones
Amesbury - Daniel C. Maxfield Alice W. Maxfield.
Boston - No accounts
Lynn - "
Wear "

The records of the last meeting have been read
The Representatives to Yearly Meeting report that they attended.

The Queries have been read.

Verbal reports have been given of conditions in Amesbury, Salem and Boston Monthly Meetings.

The business having been transacted we conclude purposing to meet at Smith Mean at the usual time in the Tenth Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting,

Mary S. Paige. Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at North Weare N. H. Tenth Month 14th. 1921

Salem - Anna W. Paige. Bessie Smith. Mary S Paige

Amesbury - Cynthia W. Hartland, Daniel C. Mansfield, Alice W. Mansfield.

Weare - Lindley M Farr

Boston Dennis Paige

Lawrence Irving E. Bliss. Joseph Bailey. Emily Bailey

The names of Representatives to this meeting as sent in from the Local Meetings on Ministry & Oversight have been called. Seven are present.

The Queries have been read

Verbal reports have been given from Boston. Lawrence Weare, and Salem Local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight

Salem Monthly Meeting proposes the name of

Ellen C. Jones, Lydiana A. Manning, John T. Mad
Ruth A. Austin and Lana A. Willey as Trustees
to serve for three years in the election of Teache
We approve these nominations and the Clerk is
directed to so inform Salem Monthly Meeting.

The business being concluded we adjourn
to meet in Boston in the First Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting.

Henry S. Paige, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Boston, First Month 18th 1922.

The following have been appointed by our local meetings on ministry and oversight as representatives to this meeting

Salem - Josephine E. Carr, Bessie Smith and C. Rachel Folger

Amesbury - Cynthia Hartland, David C. Mansfield

Lawrence - Asenath Nord

Boston Alice R. Jones, Walter R. Miles, Thomas Nord

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The time having expired for which the Clerk was appointed Mary S. Paige is appointed to serve for the ensuing year

The Queries were read

Our attention has been drawn to the need of many of our meetings which are not able to ~~send or~~ be represented in their meetings, the largest portion of Friends The Clerk is directed to prepare a letter to be

meetings a message of loving greeting and of interest in their work.

Boston Monthly Meeting proposes the names of Alice R. Jones, L. Tyler Sumner & Anna W. Williams to serve as Elders, with which this meeting unites

We also approve the proposition of Mass Monthly Meeting to appoint Rachel S. Thurston and Joseph Allen Huntington to the station of Elder. The Clerk is directed to inform Boston & Mass Monthly Meetings of our action

Verbal reports have been given of the conditions of our congregations.

No further business coming before us we conclude, proposing to meet at the usual time in Amesbury on the Fifth Month

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Mary S. Paige, Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury Fifth Month 24th 1922.

The following representatives have been named by our local meetings on ministry and oversight viz

Salem - Lucy T. Herbert. O. Hirschel Tolgu

Amesbury - Hattie E. Jacobs Alice W. Maxfield

Sarah A. Hill Cynthia H. Haviland

Wiare - Alfred Osborne Alice C. Winslow

Lawrence - Zillah Binns

Boston - J E Mathewson Lennie A. Paige

Thomas Wood Anna R. Williams

who are present except those

The records of the last meeting have been read.

Lawrence Monthly Meeting proposes the name of Asenath Wood as an Elder for the term of three years. This meeting unites with their action and

the Clerk is directed to so inform Lawrence Monthly Meeting.

The Queries have been read.

We appoint the following named Friends as our representatives to the Yearly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight to be held at Vassalboro 7th. Sixth Month 27th. J. Edgar Nathan, C. Hazelton Folger, Mary L. Thayer, Josiah Binns, Daniel C. Mayfield.

We the Local meeting of ministry and oversight informs us that it believes that Wm Pridham has received a gift in the ministry. We appoint the following Friends as a committee to consider the matter, viz. Alfred Osborn, Alice R. Jones and Anna W. Paige & Lindley H. Farr.

Reports have been read of visits to Lawrence & Boston Local meetings.

Having accomplished the business meeting
was concluded, continuing to meet at 4 pm
at the usual time on the Eighth Month
Signed on behalf of the meeting.
Mary S. Paige Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting in Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn. Eighth Month 16th 1922.

The names of the representatives being called as follow were present

Salem - Harriet E. MacLean, L. Mabel Smith - O. Herschel Folger

Amesbury - David C. Mayfield, Alice W. Mayfield

Plum - Alfred Osborne, Lindley H. Farr

Lawrence - No representation

Boston - Dennis A. Paige, Elizabeth S. Swan, Anna B. Gould, Anna W. Williams, J. Edgar Williams

The minutes of the last meeting have been read.

The Committee to consider the matter of

acknowledging the gift in the ministry of Wm Pridiaux have reported, recommending that he be recorded as a minister with which this meeting unites. The Clerk is directed to inform Wear Monthly Meeting of our action.

Amesbury Monthly Meeting proposes that the following Friends be appointed to the station of Elder for a term of three years, viz: ~~This~~ Daniel C. Maxfield, Alice N. Maxfield, Sarah A. Hill, Sarah D. Brown, Albert N. Peaslee. This meeting unites with their appointment and the Clerk is directed to so inform Amesbury Monthly Meeting.

Lawrence Local Monthly Meeting informs us

that in its judgement James P. Cooper has received a gift in the ministry which should be acknowledged. We appoint Lucy P. Hubbert, Daniel C. Maxfield and Thomas Wood a committee to consider the matter and report at a later meeting.

Reports of the spiritual conditions in Canterbury, Boston & Salem Monthly Meetings have been given.

The Queries have been read and considered.

The business being accomplished, we conclude, purposing to meet at Lawrence at the appointed time in the Tenth Month.
Signed on behalf of the meeting
Mary S. Paige, Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Lawrence, Tenth Month 21st 1922.

The names of the Representatives being called, as follows, 12 are present

Salem — Mary S. Paige, Bessie Smith, Lucy T. Herbert, Ellen C. Jones.

Amesbury — Sarah D. Brown, Cynthia H. Haviland, Alice W. Mayfield

Wrentham — Alice C. Winslow, Lindley H. Farr

Boston — Thomas Ward, J. Edgar Williams, Alice R. Jones.

Lawrence — [illegible]

~~Minutes of last meeting read~~

The Queries have been read

The committee appointed at our last meeting to consider the subject of Recording James F. Cooper as a minister have reported with which we unite recommending that he be so recorded, and the Clerk in directed to inform Lynnes Monthly Meeting. for its further action on the matter of our action.

Brief Report of the spiritual condition of our meetings in Smithy Moon Baxter & Lynnes Two Mtgs have been given. The Clerk is directed to forward these reports to the Q. M.

The business being accomplished, we concluded proposing to meet at Baxter at the usual time on the First Month

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Mary A. Paige, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Barton First Month 18th 192

The names of Representatives to this meeting as sent in by the Local Meetings on Ministry & Oversight are for Salem - Geo C. Hubbell ✓ Ruby W. Comm ✓
Bessie Smith ✓ C. Herschel Folger

Canterbury

Barton - Laura M. Oakley ✓ Lindsay S. Jones ✓
Anna W. Williams ✓ Elizabeth W. Swan.

Lawrence - no meeting held

Wan no report

The time having expired for which the Clerk was appointed. Mary S. Paige is appointed to serve in that capacity for one year

The Queries have been read

Boston Monthly Meeting proposes the names of Mary B. Swan, Elizabeth W. Swan and Dennis A. Paige as Elders for a term of three years.

Salem Monthly Meeting proposes the name of Katie B. Coffin & Anna N. Paige for a like service for the same period. We unite with these appointments being made and the Clerk is directed to so inform Boston & Salem Monthly Meetings.

We are in receipt of a communication from Salem Local Meeting on Ministry and Oversight stating that they believe Harold E. Taylor has a gift in the ministry. We appoint Thomas Wood, George J. Edgar Williams

Gertrude W.
Bibbo ~~Bass~~ ~~Alfred~~ Osborne
to take the subject under consideration and report at a later meeting.

Reports have been given of conditions in Boston, Lawrence, Manchester and Lynn meetings.

A concern has arisen for the help of Salem meeting and the Evangelistic Committee of the Quarterly Meeting is asked to confer with that meeting and give them such assistance as they may be able to render.

The Evangelistic Committee of the Quarterly Meeting is also asked to bring before all our meetings the value of a special pre-Easter campaign for the deepening of spiritual life.

The business being accomplished we conclude by proposing to meet at Amesbury at the appointed time in Fifth Month. Signed on behalf of the Meeting. Mary S. Paige Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury, Mass. Fifth Month 17th 1923.

In the absence of the clerk Thomas Wood was appointed clerk for the day.

The records of the last meeting were read and approved

The Representatives to this meeting are

From Salem -	John N. Mades	Ellen C. Jones
	Lucy P. Hubbs	Cyrus Jones
From Amesbury -	Sarah A. Hill	Sarah D. Brown
	Daniel C. Maxfield	
From Boston -	Lindsey S. Jones	Alice P. Jones
	Dennis A. Paige	Thomas Wood
From Wear -	Alfred Osborne	Alice C. Winslow
From Lawrence -	Irving E. Bliss	Emma Crathie

When names being called, all were present except two

Written reports of the visiting committee of the

meetings in Boston & Lawrence were received and read

Lawrence Monthly Meeting recommends the appointment of Mary A. Chase and Joseph R. Battey to the station of Elder for three years which appointments are approved by this meeting

The Committee appointed in reference to the acknowledgement of Harold E. Taylor's gift in the ministry asked that the matter be deferred, this being in harmony with his desire

The Queries have been read.

We appoint Thomas Wood, O. Hershel Folger Lucy P. Hibbert, Cynthia Haviland, Bessie Smith & Anna W. Paige representatives to the Yearly Meeting on Ministry & Oversight to be held at Providence, R. I. Fifth Month 26th. 1923.

Adjourned to meet in Lynn at the usual time in Eighth Month. (Signed) Thomas Wood, Clerk pro tem

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight, held at Lynn Eighth Month 16th, 1923.

The Representation to this meeting are

From Salem – George C. Herbert, Mary S. Paige
Lucy T. Herbert

From Amesbury – Daniel C. Maxfield Alice W. Maxfield
Cynthia Haviland

From Boston Dennis A. Paige Thomas Wood
Martha C. Swan " Linda S. Jones "

From Lawrence – Asenath Wood " Emily Batty

There are present 3. Two accepted minds from Mea

The records of the last meeting have been read.

The queries have been read.

Reports have been given verbally of Spiritual

conditions in our meetings

The concern of the meeting has been along the line of a greater sense of personal responsibility both in our meetings for worship and in the other work of the meeting.

The business having been transacted, we conclude proposing to meet at Mill Grove P.M. in the Tenth Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting,

Mary S. Paige, Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, held at North Weare, N. H. Tenth Month 18th, 1923.

The names of the Representatives to this meeting as sent in from the Local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight are

For Salem - Emma W. Paige. Mary S. Paige

For Amesbury - Daniel C. Mansfield Cynthia H. Haviland.

For Boston -

For Lawrence - Joseph Batty. Emily Batty.

For Weare - Myrtle Prideaux Ella M. Leighton

Who are present with one exception. No. accounts have been received from Boston.

The records of the last meeting have been read.

The meting is united in concurring the nominations made by Vicar Monthly Meeting of Lindley H. Furr & Alfred Osborn as Elders for a term of three years. The Clerk is directed to inform Vicar Mo. Mtg. of our action

The Committee to whom was referred the proposition of Salem Local Meeting on Ministry and Oversight to recognize the gift in the ministry of Harold E. Taylor has reported recommending that this step be taken. The meeting unites in doing so & the Clerk is directed to so inform Salem Monthly Meeting

The Queries have been read

Verbal reports have been given of conditions in our several Monthly Meetings

The business being accomplished, we conclude, postponing to meet at Bentonville at the established time in the First Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Mary S. Paige, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held in Boston First Month 17th. 192

The Representatives to this Meeting from our local Meetings on Ministry & Oversight are

For Salem L. Mabel Smith.* Mary S. Paige

Boston Alice R. Jones Anna W. Wilson

Elizabeth Swan.* Thomas Ward

Six of whom are present

Amesbury reports that on account of stormy weather their Meeting on Ministry & Oversight was not held.

No accounts from Weare or Lawrence.

The Queries have been read

Bruton Monthly Meeting proposes the names of Susan H. Meade, Mary D. Townsend and Thomas Ward as Friends to serve as Elders for three years. This meeting unites with their appointment and the Clerk is directed to so inform Bruton Monthly Meeting

We unite with the action of Salem Monthly Meeting in the appointment of Hynes Jones Harriet C. MacLean and Lucy P. Hubert to the station of Elder for three years. The Clerk is directed to inform Salem Monthly Meeting of our approval.

~~We endorse this Minute~~

Charles and May Ruffner's minute with a minute of unity is issued by Bruton City Monthly Meeting, Feb. next endorsed by the Rich'd. & Farmington Mo. of Platte Valley Q. M. & the Elders of Platte Valley

Owing

L. M. & Platte Valley L. M. on Ministry &
Care Acceptably was attendance at this meeting

Report from Committee of Conference in Boston
and Salem Monthly Meetings

The time having expired for which the Clerk
was appointed, Mary S. Paige is appointed
to that service for one year

The business having been transacted, we
conclude, proposing to meet in Amesbury
at the established time in the Fifth Months

Signed on behalf of the meeting
Mary S. Paige, Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight was held at Amesbury, Mass. Fifth Month 15th 1924.

In the absence of the Clerk, J. Edgar Williams was appointed to serve for the day.

The following named Friends were appointed as representative to this meeting, all being present except one

Amesbury - Cynthia H. Haviland
Alice W. Mayfield
Sarah A. Hill
Daniel C. Mayfield

Salem - Cyrus Jones
Lucy T. Hubbit

Boston - Dennis A. Paige
Lindley S. Jones
Thomas Ward
Anna N. Williams

Lawrence - Asenath Wood
Irving E. Bliss
Emma Crabtree

The minutes of the last meeting were read.

A written report of the spiritual condition of Salem Monthly Meeting was read. There being no written reports from the other meetings verbal statements of much interest were given by Friends present from Amesbury, Boston, North Weare, Manchester, Pittsfield and Lawrence meetings. These reports as given show some signs of real vital interest and growth but also reveal some very critical conditions calling for the earnest & prayerful attention of all concerned Friends & shortage of workers and leaders some

quite apparent in some of our local meetings

The following were appointed as representatives
to the ensuing Yearly Meeting on Ministry and
Oversight to be held at Vassalboro, Me.

Daniel C. Mayfield, Thomas Wood, Eugene Jones
Mary S. Paige, Alice C. Winslow, O. H. Folger
James M. Estes.

The Queries have been read

The meeting then adjourned

J. Edgar Williams, Clerk for the day
by M.S.P.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, held at Lynn Eighth Month 21st 1924.

The Representatives to this meeting from our Local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight are

For Salem - George C. Hurbut - Harriet E. MacLean

For Amesbury - Cynthia H. Haviland, David C. Maxfield, Alice W. Maxfield

For Bxtn - [illegible] Frances Alice R. Jones ×

Dennis A. Paige

For Lawrence - Irving E. Bliss ×

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(The Representatives to the Y. M. on M. & O. report that they attended, with one exception

The minutes of the last meeting have been read.)

Lawrence Monthly Meeting approves the appointment of Zilla Binns of Lawrence Meeting & Jesse W. Glover of Manchester Meeting as Elders for three years. These nominations are approved by this meeting

and the Clerk is directed to so inform Lennie Monthly Meeting.

The Queries have been read

As we have considered the verbal reports from our meetings we have been particularly impressed with the great needs of the field and the need arising new membership of a deeper sense of personal responsibility for giving the message both to individuals and in our meetings. Good of the importance of the cultivation of the Christian life.

Especial concern has been expressed for the loving care and help of Manchester meeting Attention has been called not only to the needs but to the encouraging features which are apparent in all our meetings

The business being transacted, we conclude

Journeying to meet at Lawrence at the established time on the Fourth Month

Signed in behalf of the meeting

Mary S. Paige, Clerk.

Salem Preparatory Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Lawrence Tenth Month 18th 1924.

The representatives to this meeting as named in the accounts received from our Local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight are

for Salem Cyrus Jones, Mary S. Pairpoint
Katie B. Coffin

Amesbury - Daniel C. Maffitt, Cynthia H. Haviland, Alice K. Maffitt

Plaistow -

Seabrook - Thomas Hoyle, Dan A. Page, Alice R. Jones.

Lawrence - Zelbe Binns, Irving E. Bliss

who are present

The Queries have been read and considered

Reports have been given from our meetings at Lawrence, Boston, Amesbury, Salem, Lynn Manchester, Amesbury and Pittsfield

As we have considered these reports we have been reminded that as members of this meeting we are bound to feel a deep sense of responsibility for the upbuilding of our individual meetings. It would be easy to feel a sense of discouragement when we think of the diminished numbers in our meetings. It was the Spirit-filled, consecrated personalities of the men & women of the past that made our meetings what they were then. We are the ones who are to take their places and we need to ask earnestly and prayerfully the filling with His Spirit to such an extent

that He can work through us. There is a great task and opportunity still before us which we must rise to meet. Success is not in large numbers or in good methods or in enthusiasm but in strong Christian lives. No meeting can be stronger than its individual members.

The business coming before us having been considered, we conclude, postponing to meet in Boston at the established time in the First Month next.

Signed on behalf of the meeting
Mary S. Paige, Clerk.

At Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Boston First Month 18th. 1925

The representatives to this meeting as named in the accounts recived from the Local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight are

From Amesbury - Cynthia A. Haviland x
Daniel C. Maxfield x

From Salem - L. Mabel Smith
E. Florence Bliss
Lucy P. Hubbs
O. Herschel Folger

From Boston - Dennis A. Paige
Alice R. Jones
Thomas Wood

From Lawrence -
Asenath Wood

who are present with two exceptions

The time having expired for which the Clerk was appointed, Mary S. Paige is appointed to fill that position for one year

Nominations for Elders for three years from Sun received as follows:-

From Salem Monthly Meeting. Ellen C. Jones, Sylvina A. Manning and Ruth A. Austin

From Wear - Gertrude W. Ostrom

From Barton - Alice R. Jones, L. Tyler Townsend and Georgia B. Wood.

The nominations are approved by this meeting and the Clerk is directed to so inform the Clerks of the three Monthly Meetings

The Queries have been read.

Reports have been given of conditions in our meetings at Lawrence, Manchester, Boston, Lynn, E. Lynn Salem & Amesbury.

The business coming up being transacted we conclude proposing to meet at Amesbury in the Fifth Month.

Signed in behalf of the meeting
Mary S. Paige, Clerk.

At Salem Quarterly Meeting in Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury Fifth Month 21st 1925

The clerk being absent, Lucy T. Herbert was appointed clerk for the day.

The following named Friends were appointed representatives to this Meeting who are present with two Exceptions

Salem. C Herschel Folger. Lucy T. Herbert. E Florence Bliss

Boston. Thomas Wood. E Tyler Townsend Francis A Paige.

Amesbury Charles W Goddard Sarah F Barnes, George L Jones

Lawrence Emily Batty. Helena Poulton Hannah Wood.

We are

We unite with Lawrence Monthly Meeting in the appointment of Asenath Wood to the station of Elder for three years.

To attend the Yearly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight to be held in Providence, on Sixth Mo 2nd we appoint George L Jones, D Elton Trueblood, Daniel C. Maxfield, Bessie Smith and Mary S Paige,

Reports both written and verbal were given of the different meetings, Telling of their activities, their spiritual needs (especially in the deepening of spiritual life) their perplexities, and their encouragements—

Thomas Wood read the portion of Scripture in the Fifth chap of 1st Peter - which was most fitting advice.

The business being accomplished we concluded expecting to meet in Lynn at the usual time in Eighth mo next -

Lucy T. Newhall - Clerk for the day

At Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, held at Lynn, Eighth Month 20th, 1925

The representatives to this meeting from our Local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight are as follows:-

From Salem - Lucy T. Herbert, L. Mabel Smith
Ellen C. Jones

From Amesbury - David C. Maxfield
Alice W. Maxfield, Lydia T. Jones,
Charles W. Goddard

From Boston Dennis A. Paige
Lindsay S. Jones Mary I Townsend Thomas Wood

From Lawrence, we are informed that no meetings were held

These are present with two exceptions.

The Queries have been read.

The representatives to the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight report that they attended with one exception.

Reports have been given of the spiritual conditions in our meetings at Boston, Amesbury, Weare and Lynn.

Thomas Wood presented to the meeting an outline of the plan of evangelism reported by the Council on Evangelism of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, which it may be adapted to our needs.

The business being transacted we conclude postponing to meet at North Weare at the established time in the Tenth Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting. Mary S. Paige Clerk

At Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at North Weare, N. H. Tenth Month 15th, 1925.

Names of Representatives to this meeting have been sent in from our local meetings and are as follows, viz:-

From Amesbury Daniel C. Mayfield Cynthia Haviland Geo L. Jones Hattie E. Jacobs

Weare - no meeting held

Salem - Mary S. Paige, Emma A. Fisher

Boston Dennis A. Paige D. Elton Trueblood

Lawrence Joseph Batty Emily Batty who are present except one

The Queries have been read.

Salem Monthly Meeting proposes the names of Katie B. Coffin and Anna W Paige as Friends to serve as Elders for three years. These nominations are approved + the Clerk is directed to so inform Salem Mo. Meeting

Reports have been given of the spiritual conditions of our meetings

No further business coming before us, we conclude, forwarding to meet in Boston at the established time in the First Month

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Mary S. Paige, Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Boston First Month 16th 1926. The Clerk being absent, Lucy T. Herbert is appointed Clerk for the day.

The representatives to this meeting from our local meetings on Ministry & Oversight are.

From Amesbury - Daniel C. Mayfield George L. Jones, Lydia T. Jones. Alice W. Mayfield

From Salem - Cyrus Jones. E. Prince Bliss

From Boston - Elton Trueblood. Dennis A. Paige ~~Elizabeth W. Swan~~, Louise Prescott, ~~Charles C. Smith~~

From Lawrence - Irving E. Bliss, Asenath Wood

who are all present except two, who were excused on account of illness.

The records of the last meeting were read

Boston Monthly Meeting presents the names of Mary B. Swan, Dennis A. Paige,

Elizabeth W. Swan, Louisa Prescott & Phebe C. Smith to serve as Elders for two years, which is united with and the Clerk is directed to inform the Monthly Meeting.

Salem Monthly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight informs us that it has Minister James Carey has a gift in the Ministry. This Meeting is united with their judgment and appoints Thomas Ward and George L. Jones a committee to talk with him, consider the matter, and report to the next Quarterly Meeting on Ministry & Oversight in the Fifth Month.

Reports were given from Boston, Amesbury Lawrence and Salem meetings, indicating an increasing and deepening interest.

Amesbury referred to the recent passing of Charles Goddard. He was a valuable

number and will be greatly missed

The business being finished, we conclude. proposing to meet in Amesbury at the usual time in Fifth Month.

Lucy T. Herbert. Clerk for the day
by M. S. C.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury. Fifth Month 15th 1926.

The following representatives have been appointed by our local meetings to attend this meeting, viz

from Amesbury Sarah D. Brown; J. Warren Huntington,* Cynthia H. Haviland, Geo L. Jones.

from Lynn- Lucy P. Herbert. Jennie A. Carey

from Boston. Mary A. Gove. D. Elton Trueblood; Thomas Wood. Mabel Yeandy

from Lawrence - Emma Lerabee Irving E. Bliss

There are present with 3 exceptions

The time having expired for which the Clerk was appointed Mary S. Paige is appointed to serve for the remainder of the calendar year

The Queries have been read

Amesbury Monthly Meeting proposes the names of Alice W. Maxfield, Daniel C. Maxfield, Sarah D. Brown and Lydia T. Jones to serve as Elders for three years. This meeting unites with the choice of Amesbury Mo. Mty and the Clerk is directed to so inform that meeting

Lawrence Monthly Meeting names Joseph Battey and Mary A. Chase to serve as Elders for three years. This action is endorsed by this meeting & the Clerk is directed to so inform Lawrence Monthly Meeting

Reports have been given from Amesbury. Lawrence, Bolton, and Lynn + North Weare Monthly Meetings on Ministry and Oversight

Our representatives to attend the yearly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight we appoint

George L. Jones — Daniel C. Mayfield
Lydia T. Jones — James A. Carey
Thomas Wood

The business coming before us having been transacted, we conclude, purposing to meet in Lynn in the Eighth Month

Signed in behalf of the meeting
Mary S. Paige. Clerk.

The committee to whom was referred the proposition to record James Carey as a minister has reported favorably, with which this meeting unites, and the Clerk is directed to so inform Lynn Monthly Meeting.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight met at Lynn, Eighth Month 21st, 1926.

The representatives to this meeting as named by the Local meetings on ministry & oversight are as follows.

From Salem - James A. Emery, Grace C. Herbut
E. Florence Bliss.

Amesbury - Katherine M. Goddard,
Cynthia H. Haviland +
J. Warren Huntington

Lawrence - Irving E. Bliss

Boston - Bessie A. Paige Lena Eakley
A. Edna Trueblood

Lynn are present with five representatives

The records of the last meeting were read

The Queries have been read

The representatives to the Yearly Meeting report that they attended

Extracts of [illegible] were read from the meetings from them given

The Treasurer being accomplished was and performing it went at Summer at the appointed [illegible] the Yearly Meeting

Signed on behalf of said meeting

Mary J. Paine Clerk

At Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Lawrence Friends Meeting 16th 1926

The accounts from our local meetings on Ministry and Oversight show the following representatives appointed

From Amesbury – Daniel C. Mansfield ✓
Cynthia H. Haviland ✓
Ruth E. Osborne. ✗

From Lynn – Lucy P. Hubbard ✓
Etta S. MacLean ✗
Emma A. Fisher ✓
Jennie A. Carey ✓

From Boston – Louise Prescott ✓
Dennis A. Paige ✗ Lucy Tyler Townsend ✓
Thomas Wood ✓

From Lawrence – Arnath Wood ✓
Joseph Batty ✓ Irving E. Bliss ✓

There all present Except three

The Queries have been read and time given for their consideration.

Lawrence Monthly Meeting proposes the name of Ella E. Johnson of Manchester, N. H. to serve as Elder for three years. The nomination is approved and the Clerk is directed to so inform Lawrence Monthly Meeting

Reports have been given of Conditions in all our Monthly Meetings

The business having been accomplished we conclude, purposing to meet at the established time in the First Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Mary A. Paige. Clerk.

At Salem Quarterly Meeting on Primitive and Oversight held in Boston First Month 15th 1927.

The representatives to this meeting as appointed by the local meetings on Primitive and Oversight are as follows:

From Amesbury - Cynthia A. Haviland
Daniel C. Bradford

From Lynn - James R. Comey,
Emma B. Fisher
John N. Trader
Lucy E. Hubert

From Boston - Mary A. Rose Thomas Nason
S. Ogden Tomlinson

From Lawrence - Daniel Wood

Of these all are present except two

The time having expired for which the Clerk was appointed Mary S. Paige is appointed to serve for the year.

The records of the last meeting have been read

From Monthly Meeting propose the names of Alfred Osborne & Lindley H. Farr to serve as Elders for a time of three years and from Monthly Meeting names Harriet E. MacLean, Eugene Jones, Lucy P. Hubert & Ernest W. Bliss for the same service, these appointments are approved and the Clerk is directed to so inform the three Monthly Meetings

& Boston Monthly Meeting names Mary D Townsend & Thomas Wood in like capacity.
The minutes were then read

We have been reminded anew of our responsibilities and privileges in the work of the Church - The need of a glad and willing service and a ministry which make Christ known to men. We may not force upon people even what seems the right but with patience and love win men to it. It is our responsibility to present to men Christ Jesus as he is and so to live as to recommend Him to them. There must also be the ministry of intercessory prayer. The question is not what kind of an experience we have had but what is the result of that experience in love and study service.

Brief reports have been given of conditions in our meetings at Lynn. Boston Lawrence and Manchester.

The business being accomplished, we
adjourn, purposing to meet in August
at the appointed time in the Fifth Month.

Signed on behalf of this meeting

Mary S. Paige, Clerk.

At Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury. Fifth Month 21st, 1927.

The representatives to this meeting, as named in the accounts from the local meetings on Ministry & Oversight are

Amesbury - 1 Susan M. Goddard
2 J. Warren Huntington

Lynn - 3 Cyrus Frost
4 Emmie A. Fisher
5 Lucy T. Herbert
6 James A. Emery.

Boston - 7 Lucie Prescott
8 J. Elton Trueblood
9 Mary S. Townsend

Lawrence - 10 Irving E. Bliss
11 Emmeth Wood

This same day called 9 men found to be

present. + 2 absent

The records of the last meeting have been read.

Lawrence Monthly Meeting submits for our approval the release of Zilla Binns to serve as Elder for a term of three years. We are united in offering these names and the Clerk is directed to inform them.

The Treasurer's report has been read and considered

Reports have been given of conditions in our meetings at Amesbury, Boston, Weare, Lawrence, + Lynn.

The subject of the development of gifts was brought before us. To each one has been entrusted some gift and it is for us + as Elders, Overseers,

And Minister to seek out and foster these gifts in the membership. Eli perceived that God had called the child. May we have the perception of Eli, and wisdom in guiding the child to answer "Speak Lord for thy servant hearth."

Having transacted the business coming before us, we now conclude, postponing to meet in Lynn at the appointed time in the Eighth Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting.

Mary S. Briggs. Clerk.

Interim Report of Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Lyme, Eighth Month 11th, 1927

The representatives named to attend this meeting from our local meetings on Ministry and Oversight are for

Cornish - Cynthia H. Hosford & Lydia P. Jones

Lyme — Lyme Jones, Ethel Burton, Emma T. Bliss

Burton - Edwin D. Paige, Mary A. Pinnock

Enfield - Irving E. Bliss Emma Cutler

Who are present except two for whom excuse has been given.

The records of the last meeting have been read, the Interim Item has been read and considered.

Reports have been given of conditions in the meetings in Lyme & E. Lyme, Burton, Cornish Enfield and Immediate.

Our local meetings on Ministry and Oversight

are asked to consider for our next meeting the subject of the development of leadership and be prepared to present definite suggestions at that time for discussion on this subject.

The business coming before us having been transacted, we adjourn, proposing to meet at North Hero, Vt. at the usual time on the Tenth Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Mary E. Paige, Clerk.

At Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Tenth Mo. N. H.
Tenth Month 15th 1924

The following Representatives have been named to attend this meeting from our local meetings

Amesbury — J. Warren Huntington Lydia E. Jones

Lynn — Jessie A. Corey Lucy T. Hubbard

Boston — Lizzie Page Lucy Jones
Mary A. Jones Mary J. Peaslee

Lawrence — Lucy Ellen Joseph E. Lucy
Lucy Ellen

Why are Friends absent?

The minutes of the last meeting have been read.

The Lucies have been read

Reports have been given of meetings in our meetings at Canterbury, Lynn, Pelham, Lawrence & Lynn Pittsfield

Lynn Local meeting informs us that it is united in the belief that Hannah Lee a gift in the ministry. We appoint the following our Committee to confer with him, and report the matter carefully, reporting at a later session, viz- Alfred Osborne, Mary A. Gove, Mary S. Paige

Lynn Monthly Meeting proposes the following Friends for Elders for 3 years. viz Ellen C. Jones Smith R. Austin and William G. Folkins This meeting unites with their appointment & the Clerk is directed to so inform Lynn Monthly Meeting

The subject of the development of leadership has been discussed at this time and we believe it has been a profitable season.

The business being transacted, we conclude by expecting to meet in Boston at the appointed time in the Divine Events.

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Mary A. Paige Clerk.

At Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, held at Boston First Month 21st, 1928.

By accounts received from the local Meetings on Ministry and Oversight the representatives appointed to attend this meeting are

For Lynn - Lucy T. Hubbs, Emma A. Fisher
Ernest W. Bliss

Amesbury - A. Edward Kelley, Charles C. Jones
Hattie E. Jacob

Boston - Mabel C. Moody, Mary I. Townsend
Dennis A. Paige

Lawrence - Asenath Wood.

These are present except two, for the absence of one of whom an reason was given

The records of our last meeting have been read.

The committee to whom was referred this

Local Meeting on Ministry & Oversight

proposal from Lynn ~~Monthly Meeting~~ that Harold J. Chance be recorded as a minister has reported, recommending that his gift in the ministry be recognized, with which this meeting unites.

Bruton Monthly Meeting proposes the names of Alice R. Jones, & Mabel C. Mosby as Elders for three years, and Wake Monthly Meeting proposes the name of Philip Drewry for the same position This meeting approves the nominations and the Clerk is directed to so inform the two Monthly Meetings

The time having expired for which the Clerk was appointed, we appoint Lucy T. Herbert, Hattie E. Jacob and Ernest W. Bliss a committee to present to our next meeting the name of someone to serve in that capacity.

The Queries have been read and time given

for their consideration

Reports have been given of meetings as follows:-

Amesbury reports the meeting in a growing condition and the S.S. work increasing hopefully.

Boston reports a First Day morning meeting of about 80, composed of approximately one third members of Boston Monthly Meeting, one third of the Cambridge group and one third those who come in to worship with Friends - students and other transients. They speak of the need of the development of a more vital personal relationship with Christ.

Lynn Monthly Meeting reports the attendance at their meetings numerically and meetings a deepening interest on the part of various young people, and a growth in personal initiative

Lawrence reports an attendance of about 50 at the morning meeting and slightly larger in the evening. Visits of Friends from other meetings have been appreciated

Manchester meeting is feeling the loss of Howard Taylor and his wife and longing for help in leadership. Attendance 25 at morning meeting

Pittsfield has been greatly blessed by the ministry of Charles Brasher. A large part of those attending are young people. The formation of a young people's group is encouraging.

The ministry of Cline Frazer at North Weare is proving helpful

The business coming before us being transacted we conclude, purposing to meet at Amesbury at the appointed time in the Fifth Month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Mary S. Paige. Clerk.

At Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury Fifth Month 19th, 1928.

By accounts received from our local meetings on ministry and oversight we are informed that the following Friends have been appointed as representatives to this meeting, viz:

Amesbury - Sarah D. Brown
Alice D. Brown
Susan M. Goddard

Lynn - James A. Carey
Anna N. Paige
Harold J. Chance

Boston - Dennis A. Paige
Mary J. Townsend
Mabel C. Moody
Louisa Prescott
Lama M. Oakley

Lawrence - Irving E. Bliss
Kenneth Wood

Trustees present with 4 quorum

The committee appointed at our last meeting to nominate a Clerk propose the name of A. Edmund Tilley, and he is accordingly appointed to serve for one year.

Lawrence Monthly Meeting proposes for minute of Kenneth Wood & Irving E. Bliss to serve as Elders for three years. We approve their appointment to this relation & the Clerk is directed to so inform Lawrence Monthly Meeting.

The Services have been read
We appoint the following Friends to attend the

Yearly Meeting on Ministry & Oversight as an Representative visit:-

~~Wat C. Fo~~ James A. Comly - Mary E. Paige

Reports have been given from our meetings at Assiniboine, Lynn, Nicom, Boston, Lawrence showing many faithful Friends on each as well as some things which are not encouraging

The session closing before we hear another minute was concluded for meeting to meet in Lynn at the usual time in the Eighth Month

Signed on behalf of the meeting

A. Edward Kelsey, Clerk.

At Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn Eighth Month 18th 1928.

By accounts received from our local meetings on ministry and oversight we are informed that the following Friends have been appointed as representatives to this meeting, viz:

Boston - Dennis Paige, Mabel Moody,
Lynn, Cyrus Jones, Jas. A. Coney
Lucy T. Herbert, John N. Nader,
Lawrence, Irving E. Bliss, Jos. Batty
Emily Batty.
Amesbury, A. Edward Kelsey,
Hattie E. Jacob.

With one exception these were present.

A report was made by Amesbury meeting of steps which were being taken to assist the Friends in Pittsfield meeting for the strengthening of their work.

Friends from different meetings reported on summer activities giving evidence of sustained interest.

Owing to lack of time the queries were not read.

The meeting adjourned.

A. Edward Kelsey, Clerk.

At Salem 2r. Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Lawrence 10th Mo. 20 . 1928.

By accounts from our several local meetings on M. & O. the following Friends have been appointed as representatives:

Boston: Dennis A. Paige Mary I. Townsend and Mabel A. Moody.

Lynn, E. Florence Bliss Emma A. Hiker and Wm. G. Perkins.

Lawrence, Irving E. Bliss, Hubert B. Wood and Beulah Wood.

Amesbury, Cynthia Haviland and Elizabeth Carlile.

These were all present except one.

By accounts from our Mo. Meetings the following Friends are recommended to the station of elder for three years:- Ella M. Leighton of Weare, Ruth Osborne and Susan Goddard of Amesbury, Katie B. Coffin and Etta S. MacLean of Lynn. This meeting approves of these recommendations and they are duly appointed.

The queries are read at this time.

Verbal reports were made of conditions in the various meetings. Especial interest was manifested in the sustained interest in the

meeting at Pittsfield and the recent starting of a Bible School in the meeting-house at N. Epping.

Thomas Dodd of Boston was again able to meet with us. He called our attention to the minutes of the F. M. in regard to our annual session.

The business of the session was then adjourned for one month to meet in Boston at the appointed time in first month.

A. Edward Kelsey.

At Salem 2r. Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Boston First Month 19th 1929.

By accounts from the local meetings of M. & O. the following friends were chosen as representatives:-

Boston: Delbert Replogle, Dennis A. Paige", Mabel C. Mody.

Lynn James A. Coney, Cyrus Jones, Harold Chance.

Lawrence, Azenath Wood.

Amesbury, Cynthia Haviland, Hattie Jacobs, A. Edward Kelley.

All but three of these responded to the roll-call.

A communication from Boston No. Meeting presented the names

of the following Friends to serve in the station of elder for three years from 1st Mo. 1st 1929.
Elizabeth W. Swan, Dennis A. Paige, Chester C. Smith and Louisa Prescott. This meeting approves of such appointment.

Written reports were received from the meetings in Boston, Lynn, E. Lynn and Pittsfield and verbal reports from the other meetings showing signs of vitality in all but still leaving much to be desired in forward aggressive work. The interest manifested in the Bible School at W. Epping is very encouraging.

The meeting concludes purposing
to meet at the appointed time
in Fifth Month at Amesbury.

A. Edward Kelsey. Clerk.

At Salem 2r. Meeting for W.F.C. held at Amesbury 5th M. 8 1929.

The representatives to this meeting as named in accounts from our local meetings on W.F.C. are

Amesbury, Katherine Goddard, Susan Goddard, Alice J. Brown.

Lynn, Cyrus Jones, Harold Chance E. Florence Chase.

Boston; Laura Oakley, Gertrude Smith, Blanche Howland.

Lawrence: Jos. Batty, Emily Batty, Irving E. Bliss and Asenath Wood.

These names being called all but three were present.

The records of the last meeting were read at this time.

A committee appointed to nominate a clerk present the name of A. Edw Kelsey with which nomination this meeting unites and he is appointed for one year.

A communication from Lawrence meeting on M. & C. informs us that they believe the gift in the ministry of Ruth Fitman should be recognized and that she should be recorded a minister. We appoint as a committee to take this matter into consideration Alfred Osborne, Jas. Coney & Lucy T. Herbert and report at the 2r. Meeting in Lynn in 8th Mo.

Lawrence Mo. Meeting ~~informs us~~ has at this time forwarded to us

the name of Jos. Batty to be appointed as an elder for 3 yrs. The meeting unites with this recommendation.

Reports both verbal & written have been received from all the local meetings showing zeal & consecration in the work of the Master.

The queries have been read at this time.

We appoint as our representatives to the Yearly Meeting on N. S. D.

Jas. Coney, Mabel Hoyt, Edward Kelsey, Isenath Wood, Harold Chance.

There being no further business the meeting concludes purposing to meet in Lynn at the appointed time in 8th M. 1915.

A. Edward Kelsey, Clerk.

At Salem 2nd. Meeting for M. & C. held at Lynn
8th Mo. seventeenth 1929.

The representatives to this meeting as named in accounts from our local meetings on M. & C. are from
Boston: Mabel Wody and Gertrude Smith.
Lynn: Harriett MacLean, Emma A. Fisher, LeRoy S. Austen, & James S. Coney.
Lawrence: ~~Hattie Stott~~, Ruth Hainsworth ~~and Annie Shallow~~.
Amesbury: J. Warren Huntington and A. Edward Healey.

All these are present except three.

The minutes of our last meeting were read and approved.

The committee appointed at our last meeting to consider the recognition of the gift in the ministry of

Ruth F. Rothrock report that they have interviewed conferred with her and given the case careful attention and believe that she has a gift in the ministry. They are united in recommending that her gift be acknowledged.

The meeting approves of this report and the clerk is instructed to inform Lawrence Mo. Meeting of this action.

A written report from Boston meeting and verbal reports from all the other meetings show signs of encouragement in our several fields of labor.

Representatives to the Yearly Meeting on M. & O. report they all attended except one.

The meeting concludes purposing to meet in No. Mare in tenth month.

A. Edward Kelsey

At Salem Qr. Meeting for M. & O. held at No. Weare Tenth Mo. 19th 1929

The representatives from the local meetings on M. & O. are:

Boston. Mary A. Gove, Dennis A. Paige Mabel C. Moody.

Lynn, Ida N. Nader, Ernest W. Bliss, Harold G. Ordance.

Lawrence, Irving E. Bliss, Emily Batty, Joseph Batty.

Amesbury, Ruth E. Osborne, Lydia T. Jones.

All these, with one exception, are present.

The minutes of our last meeting were read and approved.

Weare No. Meting proposes the names of Lindley A. Farr, Alfred Osborne and Catherine H. Frazer for the station of Elder for three years.

Lynn Mo. Meeting proposes the re-appointment of Harriett Mac Lean, Cyrus Jones, Lucy T. Herbert, Ernest W. Bliss and also the name of Ethel S. Austin for the station of elder for three years.

This meeting approves of all these appointments.

A written report from Hillsfield and verbal reports from the other meetings were received.

We are glad at this time to have with us Isabelle Grubb of Dublin Y. M.

The business being concluded we adjourn for today to meet in Boston at the usual time in First Mo. 1938.

A. Edward Allen, Clerk

At Salem 2nd. Meeting of M. & D. held at Boston 1st Mo. 18th 1930.

By accounts from our local meeting in M. & D. the representatives to this meeting are:-

Boston, Chester C. Smith, Louise Prescott & Mary Love.

Lynn, Cyrus Jones, Emma Fisher, Ethel Austin and Harold Chance.

Lawrence, James A. Coney & Kenneth Wood.

Amesbury, Ruth Osborne & Marion C. Kelsey.

whose names being called all were present except one.

The queries were read at this time.

Boston Mo. Meeting informs us that it proposes the names of Mary S. Townsend and S. Paul Townsend

for the station of elder for three years. This meeting unites with this proposal and the clerk is instructed to so inform Boston M.S. Meeting.

There being no further business the meeting concludes, purposing to meet at the appointed time in Amesbury.

A. Edward Kelsey, Clerk.

Salem Qr. Meeting for M. & O. met at Amesbury 6th Mo. 17 1930

By accounts from our several meetings the representatives are:-

Boston: Blanche R. Howland, S. Paul Townsend and Mary I. Townsend.

Lynn. John Mader, Cyrus Jones, Ernest Bliss.

Lawrence, Irving E. Bliss, Asenath Wood.

Amesbury, Alice D. Brown, Cynthia Hartland.

whose names being called are present except one.

The records of our last meeting were read.

Lawrence Mo. Meeting recommends that Irving E. Bliss be appointed to the station of elder for three years. This meeting unites with this appointment.

The committee appointed to bring forward the name of a person to serve as clerk is not ready to report and is continued till next meeting.

Verbal and written reports are made of the spiritual condition of our various meetings.

The following friends are appointed to attend the Y. M. on M. & E.

Harold Chase, Luidley Farr, Cyrus Jones, James A. Toney, Oliver Frazer, Marion E. Kelsey, & Catherine F. Frazer.

We conclude, purposing to meet at Lynn in Eighth Month.

A. Edward Kelsey.

Salem Quarterly Meeting for M. & C.
held at Lynn 8th Mo. 16 1930.

By accounts from our several meetings the representatives are; from Boston: Gertrude Smith, Dennis Paige.
Lynn: Hattie McLain, Ethel Austin & Cyrus Jones.
Lawrence: Irving E. Bliss, Joseph Batty, Emily Batty.
Amesbury: A. Edward Kelsey, Lydia T. Jones.
whose names being called are present except one.

Representatives appointed to attend Yearly Meeting on M. & C. report that all attended except two.

The nominating committee presented the name of Gertrude Smith to serve as clerk the balance of the year. This is satisfactory to the ~~meeting~~ meeting and she is appointed for this service.

A written report has been read of activities in the Boston meeting and verbal reports from the other meetings.

The queries have been read at this time.

The meeting concludes purposing to meet in Lawrence at the appointed time in Tenth Month.

A. Edward Kelsey, Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held in Lawrence Tenth month 18, 1900.

By reports from our several Meetings the Representatives are: Lydia Lyons Jones, Harold J. Chance and Ethel Austin.

Lawrence, Jos. Batty Emily Batty Emma Crabtree and Sarah Wood.

Amesbury, Cynthia Haviland

Hattie C. Jacobs M. Esther Huntington Boston, Chester C. Smith and Annie Paige whose names having been called are present, except one.

Lynn Monthly Meeting appoint Ruth A. Austin, E. Florence Bliss to the station of Elder. We approve the appointment and the Clerk

is instructed to so inform the Monthly Meeting.

Report from the Monthly Meeting on the spiritual condition of their meeting. were on the whole encouraging. All Meetings feel the need for more spiritual growth and enthusiasm for the work of the Master.

North Wiare reports added interest and growth.

Edward Kelley told of the growth of interest and attendance at W. Epping where a fine work is being done.

Records of our Mtg. in 8th. month have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude to adjourn to meet in Boston at appointed time.

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and oversight held in Boston, first month 17th 1931

The following representatives have been named by our local meetings on Ministry and Oversight from Amesbury: A. Edward Kelsey

Lynn: Ethel Austin, Emma Fisher E. Florence Bliss and Harold J. Chase

Lawrence: - James A. Coney and Arendth Wood

Boston: - Laura M. Oakley, Annie B. Paige

Reports on the spiritual condition of our several Meetings have been made, the West Epping Meeting shows most encouraging growth, while our other groups are continuing their regular

activities with some increase in young people's activities. We all feel however a need for a richer spiritual life.

We are glad to have Rev T. Tennington and his wife with us and record his concern for a greater sense of responsibility on the part of our Christians wherever.

Records of our last meeting have been read, and approved.

Boston Monthly Meeting present the following to serve in the station of Elder for three years:

Alice R. Jones.

Mabel B. Moody.

Philip P. Bradley, we approve these appointments and the clerk is asked to forward this information

The Duties have been read.

No further business appearing we adjourn purposing to meet in Shreburn on fifth month.

Gertrude F. Smith
Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury fifth month 16th, 1931

The following representatives have been named by our local meetings on Ministry and Oversight,

from Amesbury: Cynthia Haviland
M. Esther Huntington & Edward Kelsey

from Lawrence: - Irving C. Bliss,
Joseph Batty, Emily Batty

from Lynn: - Cyrus Jones, Florence Bliss, Emma A. Fisher, Harold Chance & Harriet MacLean

from Boston: Chester C. Smith
Dennis A. Paige

All representatives were present

The Records of the previous meeting have been read and are approved.

Reports of our several Meetings have been made, either in writing or verbaly, all show concern for the spiritual welfare of their groups. Ware and West Epping seem to show the most encouraging signs of growth. Lawrence Monthly Meeting suggest the name of Asenath Wood to be appointed to the station of Elder for 3 years.

This appointment is approved.

We appoint, Harold J. Chance James Coney, Joseph Batty A. Edward Kelsey, Blanche R. Howland Marian E. Kelsey our representatives to Yearly Mtg. to be held at Providence 6th month 23, 1931.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet in hymn. 8th month 15, 1931.

Gertrude F. Smith

Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn, 8th month 15, 1931.

The following representatives have been named by our local meetings: from Amesbury, Marian C. Kelsey & Ruth Osborne. from Boston, Dennis R. Paige and Laura M. Oakley

from Lynn:- Cyrus Jones Harriett McLean and Ethel Austin

Lawrence sent no representatives or report. The other rep. were present except one.

The spiritual condition of our Meetings, as reported, bring forth the conviction that we are not bringing as many new members into Christian fellowship

with us as could be hoped.
However, West Epping is
continuing to grow in strength
and numbers. North Weare and
Upton meetings are both
looking forward to new leaders
in the Ministry, both these
meetings have grown in
attendance and loyalty to
our ideals, during the fine
leadership that has been theirs
in the past few years.
No further business we conclude.

Gertrude Frye Smith
Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at North Reading, 10th month 17, 1931.

The following representatives were named by our local Meetings:

from Amesbury, A. Edward Kelsey
Cynthia Haviland

from Lawrence, Joseph Batty
and Emily Batty

Boston, Dennis A. Paige and
Louisa Prescott

No names were sent from Lynn.

All representatives were present excepting one.

The spiritual condition of our meeting was frankly discussed and considered.

The methods for interesting and bringing our young people into a feeling of responsibility for service and spiritual growth were touched upon. The duty of the overseers was brought to mind in case where young people are accepting military training. Are we using our influence wisely?

Lynn Monthly Meeting recommend Katie B. Coffin and Emma A. Fisher to serve as Elders for a term of three years. This meeting approves of the appointment and the clerk will so notify them.

Here Monthly Mtg. nominate Edda M. Leighton and Mabel C. Moody to the station of Elder, this meeting approves the appointment.

No further business claimed our attention. Adjourned to meet in Boston, 1st month 1932.

Gertrude Frye Smith
Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held in Boston, First month 16, 1902.

The following representatives were named by our meetings:—

Amesbury: A. Edward Kelley and Ruth C. Osborne

Lynn:—Cecil Pearson, Emma Lowe and Cyrus Jones.

Lawrence: James A. Cooney and Asbirth Wood

Boston: Dennis A. Paige and Gertrude Frye Smith

The spiritual condition of our several meetings was considered; some signs of growth and development in spiritual things were noted. Amesbury noted the

reopening of the Bible school which is a cause for thanksgiving. For without proper training of our children and young people we cannot succeed.

Boston Monthly Meeting submitted the following names for Elders for three years:
Dennis H. Paige, Louisa Prescott
Chester E. Smith George R. Taylor
and Elizabeth Swan, who has since appointment passed to her heavenly home. Elizabeth Swan was a loyal and devoted member of our church for during her long life and we wish at this time to testify to our loss through her - although she has been

confine / to the house for a long time.
With the exception of this bill we
approve the Claims as named
and the Clerk will be notify Doctor
Monteith Jerry.

Justice Covey of Lawrence has
a concession for young people
who are already "friends of
friends" but not yet ready
to join our organization. The
matter was discussed but held
over for further consideration.

No further business appearing
we adjourned to meet on
Monday in Feb. Month.

Gertrude Frye Smith
Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury, May 21, 1932.

The representatives attended as follows: Amesbury (R. Edw. Kelsey) - ~~Sarah~~ Sarah D. Brown - was unable to come. Mary C. Huntington, Cynthia Haviland from Lynn: Cecil C. Pearson, C. Florence Bliss, Cyrus Jones Ethel S. Austin.

from Lawrence:- Irving C. Bliss Asenath Wood.

from Boston:- Dennis H. Paige Chester C. Smith

Each meeting gave a report of the spiritual condition of their Meeting which showed that earnest effort is being

made that, we as a body, may go forward in the things of the spirit. A need of more consecration to the work by a larger number of our members was felt.

Lawrence Monthly Mtg. sent the name of Joseph Batty for the station of Elder for 3 years. This meeting approves the appointment.

Representatives to Yearly Meeting were named as follows:—

R. Edward Kelsey, Blanche T. Howland, Cecil Pearson, Marian Kelsey and James Covey.

No further business appearing we adjourn, proposing to meet in Lynn, eighth month.

Gertrude Frye Smith, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn eighth month, 20, 1932.

The representatives from our several meetings were as follows:-

from Amesbury, Lydia T. Jones and A. Edward Kelsey

from Boston, Chester E. Smith Dennis A. Paige and Gertrude T. Smith

from Lawrence, Irving E. Bliss, Jos. Batty, Emily Batty, Emma Crabtree and Asenath Wood.

from Lynn, Emma Fisher, LeRoy S. Austin and E. Florence Bliss

The spiritual condition of our meetings was discussed frankly. A feeling that we need the spirit of God working in and

through us more fully, was expressed.
~~But~~ A note of Faith and courage
was given as an essential to
our work.

The Queries were read
No further business appearing
We adjourn purposing to
meet in tenth month at Lawrence

Lucinda Frye Smith,
Clerk

Oct. 15, 1902

Lawrence,

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Lawrence tenth month 15 1902.

The following representatives were appointed to attend our meeting from Amesbury; Lydia Jones Cynthia Haviland.

Boston, Chester C. Smith, Dennis Paige and Gertrude F. Smith

Lynn; Cecil Pearson, Emma Gove and Emma Fisher

Lawrence; Irving C. Bliss Joseph Batty and Emily Batty Asenath Wood.

The spiritual condition of our meetings was considered.

The burden of on some of our minds was the need for closer spiritual contact with our Heavenly Father. A note of courage and abiding faith was also felt. More definite work for our young people is a need in several meetings. Lawrence and Lyman both reported increased attendance.

North Weare Monthly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight presents the names of Julia S. Reade and Alfred Osborne to serve as Elders. This meeting approves their appointment.

Lyman Meeting of Ministry and Oversight recommend the following to serve as Elders for three years: Ethel S. Austin, Harriett Mac Lean,

Cyrus Jones, Ernest W. Bliss.
This meeting approves their appointment.

No further business appearing
we adjourn purposing to meet
in Boston first month next.

Gertrude F. Smith, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight held in Boston first month 2, 1933.

The representatives from Amesbury were: Cynthia H. Haviland & A. Edward Nalley, from Lynn: - E. Florence Bliss, Cyrus Jones & Ethel Austin Lawrence: - Jas. R. Cooney Boston: Laura M. Oakley & Gertrude K. Smith

The question of whether we are giving Christ his proper place in our lives was seriously considered and discussed. It thought of the spirit that should fill our lives and send us forth as friends in world that needs friendship also claimed our attention.

It was the sense of the meeting

that time need not be taken at this session for special reports on the spiritual condition of our meetings as usual.

No further business appearing we adjourn to meet in 5th month at Amesbury

Gertrude Frye Smith, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight held in Amesbury 5th month 20th 1933

The representatives from our several Meetings were: — from Amesbury, Esther Huntington and Ruth B. Osborne - who were unable to attend — however Amesbury was ably represented by a number of its faithful workers; from Boston: Geo. Selleck and Blanche R. Howland, Lawrence: Irving C. Bliss, James A. Comey John C. Peacock; Lynn: — Cecil C. Pearson, Emma A. Gove and Cyrus Jones & Emma A. Fisher. There were was attendance except James Comey who was called elsewhere.

A. Edward Kelsey, Cecil Pearson, Blanche R. Howland and Cynthia Haviland were appointed our representatives to Yearly Meeting.

The spiritual condition of our meetings was given earnest consideration.

The passing of our old friend Dennis A. Paige, who had been so faithful in attendance at our meetings for many years, was noted as a distinct loss. A minute is to be presented at our next meeting, by request of those present.

Lawrence Monthly Meeting suggest that Irving E. Bliss be appointed to the Station of Elder, for three years. This appointment is approved.

No further business appearing we adjourn purposing to meet in Lynn eighth month next.

Gertrude F. Smith, Clerk.

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and oversight held at Lynn, Eighth month 19, 1933.

The representatives were as follows: from Amesbury, Lydia T. Jones & A. Edw. Kelsey
" Boston Laura Oakley, Gertrude F. Smith
" Lawrence Jas. R. Coney, Jos. Batty Emily Batty and Edwin E. Bliss.
" Lynn John H. Mader, Emma Fisher and Harriett E. MacLean all of whom were in attendance except one.

The following minute to our late friend Dennis R. Paige was read.

Dennis R. Paige for years a member of Boston Monthly Meeting lived a long and devoted christian life. It may truly be said of him —
"He lived in the Lord" and was

aware of the unspeakable riches of God's love" of which he often spoke. In thinking of his buoyant and faithful spirit, the words of our poet Whittier come to mind:

"I know not where his islands raise
their fronded palms in air,
I only know, I cannot drift
Beyond his love and care."

He was blessed with a strong mind and heart that served him well, till after a short illness he was called home, in his ninety fourth year, on April 27, 193

The spiritual condition of our several meeting was discussed. The reports on the whole were more to encouraging - due to

the summer season when so many of our members go away for vacation. Amesbury however reported that the work there is more encouraging in the summer months, as well as in West Epping and Titlefield.

We were favored by a visit from William Hayne and his wife who spoke on the value of silence in our meetings and in our lives. A time in which to make our spiritual contact with the Divine. He spoke of the peace, assurance and firmness of purpose to be gained as the outcome.

Mary Hayes Harold also was visiting here at this time and gave a talk on the loyalty and devotion of many

of Lynn Friends. Queries were read.

The representatives to Yearly Mtg. A. Edward Kelsey, Cecil Pearson, Blanche R. Howland and Cynthia Haviland all report attendance.

A. Edward Kelsey and James A. Cooney were appointed to nominate a new clerk for this meeting.

Lawrence meeting on Ministry and oversight nominate Irving C. Bliss to the station of Elder for three years. This meeting approves the nomination.

No further business appearing we adjourned purposing to meet at North Ware in Tenth month.

Gertrude Frye Smith, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn 10 month 21st.

The representatives were as follows, from Lynn, Emma A. Lane, John H. Mudge, Martha Johnson, Florence Tobey, Lena Broadbent, Marian C. Kelly & Lydia T. Lee, from Lawrence James A. Tracy and Hannah Hood, from Boston Mary B. Gove and Gertrude F. Smith.

Lawrence Meeting reported that we make reports on the spiritual condition of our meetings but twice a year. The matter was discussed and it was decided to ask for reports in May and October, while in January and August we might spend our time more helpfully

consideration of ways by which we may regain the "lost radiance" and something of the spirit of the early church. Other matters that may claim our attention. It was suggested that we discuss the appointment of Ministers at our next meeting.

Reports from our several meetings showed that our leaders are concerned with the spirit of fellowship that is, and should be an outgrowth of our work. In quietness and confidence we may look forward to an increase of service.

Our interest in world disarmament was brought before the business session of the Quarterly Mtg.

by a committee. Gertrude T. Smith
Alfred Osborne and Edward Haley

No further business appearing
we adjourn purposing to meet in
Boston 1st month 20, 1904

Gertrude T. Smith,
Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury Fifth Month nineteenth 1934

The Clerk being absent A. Edw. Kelsey was appointed Clerk for the day.

By accounts from the local meetings the following Friends were appointed representatives to this meeting:- from Lynn John N. Maden, Cecil Pearson, E. Florence Bliss, from Boston, George Selleck from Lawrence, Irving E. Bliss & Helena Trowbridge, from Amesbury, Cynthia Haviland and Marion E. Kelsey, whose names being called all were present except two.

A communication from

Lawrence local meeting informs us that they are united in the appointment of Arenath Wood to the station of elder for three years. This appointment met with the approval of this meeting and the Clerk is directed to so inform Lawrence Monthly Meeting.

This meeting appoints as representatives to the Yearly Mtg of N. E. Q. to be held at Ocean Park Maine in Sixth Month the following Friends: Cecil Pearson, Marion E. Kelsey, A. Edward Kelsey, James Coney, Alfred Osborne, Florence Bliss & Cynthia Haviland

There being no further business the meeting concludes, purposing to meet in Lynn in Eight Month.

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn eighth month 1934

The following friends were appointed by their local meetings as representatives Lawrence: Irving Bliss from Lynn Bertha Simpson & Harriet McLean Amesbury: Edward Kelsey and Cynthia Haviland Boston: Laura M. Oakley & Gertrude F. Lunt of these all were in attendance but one.

The matter of small group gatherings in outlying districts especially in meetings where our membership is scattered was discussed A feeling that deeper spirit of fellowship and power might

result from such groups was felt.

A note of greeting was sent to Annie Paige on her ninety first birthday.

No further business appearing we adjourn perpetual to meet in Lawrence in Tenth month

Gertrude F. Smith, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Lawrence 6th month 1904.

The following friends were appointed as representatives from Amesbury Lydia T. Jones & Esther Huntington, Boston, owing to illness of the local clerk on M. & O. appointed no representatives, from Lynn, Bertha Simpson, John Mader and Cecil Pearson Lawrence, Jos. Bailey and James A Comey.

Lynn meeting on Ministry and Oversight recommend the appointment of Emma K. Fisher and Katie Coffin to serve as Elders for three years. This

appointment was approved.

The several meeting reported regular activities and evidence of spiritual life in their meeting. West Epping and Pittsfield also continued community interest with some growth.

A committee was appointed to consider whether they considered it advisable to suggest the discontinuance of monthly and Fortnight and suggest the ways and means of taking care of our regular duties on case of discontinuance. The Com. are James H. Coney, H. Edward Kilvay Harold J. Clarke and Blanche F. Norris Gertrude Osborne. For the meeting

Gertrude F. Smith, Clk

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight held in Boston first month 19th 1935.

The representatives from our several meetings are from Amesbury Marion E. Kelsey and A. Edward Kelsey from Lynn Cecil E. Pearson, Emma A. Gove, John N. Mader and E. Florence Mader from Lawrence, James A. Coney & Emma E. Abbott, from Boston Blanche R. Howland, George Selleckaus Harold J. Chaw

Amesbury Monthly Meeting
submitted the names of
Lucy T. Herbert } for one year
Lydia T. Bacon }
Sarah D. Brown } for two years
Kate Goddard }
Ruth E. Osborne } for three years
Phoebe E. Clark }

to serve as Elders - these friends are approved by this meeting.

The Committee appointed to consider whether we should recommend the discontinuance of the meeting for Worship and Oversight discussed the matter at length & suggested that we might look upon our meeting as a form of worship for all Elders and Overseers and might perhaps eliminate reports from the Monthly Meetings, however these suggestions will come before the Meeting on Worship and Oversight at Yearly Mtg. for further discussion and decision. The Queries were read.

No further business appearing we adjourned purposing to meet in Amesbury 5-08-35. Gertrude F. Smith Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury fifth month 18, 1935

The representatives were as follows, from Amesbury Thebe Clark Marion E. Kelsey and Etta Huntington from Lawrence, Emily Batty and Helena Proudlove, from Lynn Ernest Bliss, Florence Bliss and Emma Gove from Boston Blanche R. Howland and Getrude F. Smith.

The Committee on Nomination of Elders and Lawrence Monthly Meeting appoint Joseph Batty to serve as Elder, This meeting approves the appointment. Marion E. Kelsey, E. Florence Bliss, R. Edw. Kelsey Blanche R. Howland & Alfred Osborne

were appointed our representatives to Yearly Mtg.

The reports from the several meetings showed a concern for a more cooperation and spiritual understanding between the groups in the individual meetings.

On further discussion of the functions of our Ministry and Overlight meeting it was decided that all Ministers and Elders should make this meeting their by attending - whether appointed or not - and that this meeting should be a preparation for the meeting for worship that follows. Also we should consider more carefully and definatly the concerns of each meeting. Adjourned to meet at Lyon 8th month 17th

Gertrude F. Smith, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn 8th month 17th, 1905.

The representatives from our several meetings were as follows: from Amesbury Thos. H. Clark and Cynthia Haviland, from Lynn, Harriett McLean, Grace Atkins Bertha Simpkin: from Boston Geo. Selleck and Gertrude F. Smith; Lawrence, Joseph & Emily Batty. Of these all were present except one who was prevented by illness.

Our representatives appointed to attend Yearly Mtg. report attendance.

The Queries were read and considered at this time.

Then followed a discussion on the value of family worship in the child. A need for more regular and definite Bible teaching in the home was felt to be a real problem for us all.

The meeting adjourned, agreeing to meet on the 4th Monday in April, 1935 in North Ave.

Lettie Faye Smith
Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting for Ministry and Oversight held at North Weare tenth month 19th - 1930

The following friends were appointed as representatives from Amesbury, Ruth E. Osborne and Phoebe Clark, Lawrence, Herbert B. Wood, Asenath Wood Annie E. Goddard, Lynn, John M. Mader, Bertha Simpson and E. Florence Bliss, Boston, Chester E. Smith Harold J. Clance, Gertrude F. Smith These here in attendance except three.

The Queries were read at this time and thoughtfully considered. The need for

more thoughtful preparation for our meetings was stressed along with responsibility to our group for a feeling of unity and co-operation in all undertakings for the good of the whole. If we truly seek "His" guidance in word and deed our meetings should grow in the spirit of love.

Lynn meeting on Monday night suggested, Harriett McLean Ernest M. Blick and R. Ella Clark as Elders of their meeting for a term of three years. This appointment was approved. Adjourned purposing to meet 1st month in Boston. Gertrude T. Smith

Clerk

Salem Quarterly Mtg for Ministry and Oversight held in Boston first month 1936

The representatives from the several meetings were as follows: Amesbury, A. Edward Kelsey, Cynthia Davila Lynn, Ethel Austin, Eunice Fisher Lawrence Jos. Batty, Jas. Coney Helena Proudlove, Boston, Harold Chance, Florence Selleck

(To The Quarterly Mtg. on Ministry and Oversight) Friends Monthly Mtg. presents the names of Alfred Osborne and Julia L. Reade for the station of elders. These names are approved.

A concern was felt for a program that will interest people

outside the church. It is felt that our message is needed by so many that it would be well to spend a day in consideration of how we can build up our own spiritual life in the meetings, and reach out to those outside our groups.

Harold J. Chance, James A. Conroy and Gertrude F. Smith were appointed to arrange for a meeting of the Ministry and Oversight members of each of our several meetings.

No further business appearing the adjourned meeting is called to convene the fifth month next.

Gertrude F. Smith
Clerk

Special meeting of Monadnock and Wainright, held in Boston at the Friends Center, 120 Boylston St. to consider the spiritual needs of our meetings and plans for outreach to those interested in our message.

We discussed the need for extending our work. It was felt that thru deeper concentration, study and meditation and thru the opening of new avenues for service by the addition of members from outlying districts we might strengthen and revitalize our meetings. The question of taking absentee members into fellowship was considered

Then the spiritual condition as shown by the activities of our revival meetings was considered carefully.

Fitzfield meeting has been blessed by the leadership of a retired minister and his wife, who are devoting much of their time to work of the meeting.

Amesbury meeting is small and the outlook for the future is not encouraging so many of the faithful friends are too aged to long take an active part in the work. A neighborhood Sabbath School however is held, where a strong religious influence is exerted upon these otherwise unchurched children.

The situation at West Epping is not as encouraging as few years ago, since the active work of an Apostolic group has established a church in the neighborhood. However a small but faithful meeting carries on the work of Friends.

Boston still has in co-operation with Cambridge Friends a meeting of the unprogrammed type where students and Friends from several Yearly Meetings gather in harmony and fellowship.

After considering the difficult situation at North Weare a committee was appointed to visit them and ascertain

the religious needs of the community and find out in what way, if any we could meet them.

Lynn reported the establishment of a young friends discussion group which meets regularly for the study the Bible and Friends testimony. A greater feeling of tolerance when their views of conservative and liberal thinkers differ was urged as we must allow liberty of conscience to all. A spirit of love and understanding does away with conflicts.

Lawrence finds its greatest problem the holding and satisfying of its young people

In conclusion it was urged that wherever possible we look of

neighborhood groups meeting in our homes. Such things of the spirit can be discussed informally and community or social problems can be considered in the light of Christian fellowship.

The meeting adjourned at four P.M. not because we felt we had solved our problems but the daylight was waning and many had long distance to go to reach home.

for the meeting
Gertrude F. Smith, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at Amesbury fifth month 16, 1936.

The following friends were appointed representatives: from Amesbury, Esther Huntington, Thebe Clark; from Lynn Erving N. Bliss, Florence S. Bliss, John Mader and Emma A. Fisher from Boston Blanche N. Howland and Geo. H. Selleck from Lawrence Jos. Batty, Emily Batty Annie C. Goddard, Jas. A. Coney, Emma Crabtree and Helena Proudlove.

These were present except one.

The meeting on Ministry and Oversight of Lawrence Monthly Meeting presented the name of Clara Atkinson to serve as elder. The appointment of this friend is approved.

The Queries were read and considered.

The Supt. of our Evangelistic and Church Extension work outlined a project that they are undertaking to bring in as many unchurched families to religious services this summer.

The value of faith was stressed and we are urged as C. F. Andrews puts it to "faint not but lift up our heads". If we are to forward the kingdom and not be overcome by the world.

for the meeting
Gertrude F. Smith, Clerk

Salem Quarterly Mtg. on Ministry and Oversight held at Lynn eighth month, 15, 1936

The following friends were appointed to attend; from Amesbury Marion C. Kelsey and Cynthia Haviland; from Boston; Laura M. Oakley and Gertrude F. Smith; Lawrence, James A. Cooney; Lynn, Ernest Bliss, Emma Fisher, Florence C. Bliss, John M. Mader.

Our representatives at Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight were appointed among elders present namely; James A. Cooney A. Edward Kelsey Blanche F. Howland and Gertrude F. Smith

The Com. appointed to visit

North Weare Friends, report that on account of spring floods and road conditions their meeting has been postponed to be held on the week ~~end of~~ Sept. 3, so that they may also meet with Friends in Pittsfield at their monthly Mtg. The Com. is continued.

The Supt. of Evangelistic work reports that three - closed meeting houses have been opened, meetings are being held and many people otherwise unchurched have been reached. It is found that the need for Bible education and temperance is appalling.

The queries were read and thoughtfully considered.

Marion E. Kelsey and James A. Coney were asked to bring in the name of a Clerk for our Meeting on Ministry oversight.

No further business appearing we adjourn purposing to meet in Lawrence tenth month.

Gertrude Frye Smith
Clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight held in Lawrence tenth month 17th 1926

The representatives from our several meetings were as follows. from Amesbury, A. Edward Kelsey Faith C. Osborne; from Boston, Blanche R. Howland & Gertrude F. Smith from Lawrence James A. Comey and Clara Atkinson - Lynn named no special representatives.

The committee appointed to meet with North Weare Friends reported that Edward Kelsey and James Comey arranged their meeting so that after visiting with North Weare they went on to Pittsfield monthly meeting

where their visit was most welcome. The North Weare Friends reported that the Committee's visit was helpful and they appreciated the contact and feel that their associate membership problems is being handled more satisfactorily on account of the consideration given the matter.

Loyalty to peace is envisaged as the tie that will help bring nations closer and build up a responsibility toward understanding other nations.

The Com. appointed to nominate a Clerk for Monday Overnight brought in the name of Mabel B. Moody.

We are glad to welcome her as our clerk for the meeting, Gertrude F. Smith, clerk

The Meeting of Ministry and Oversight of Salem Quarterly Meeting, held at Boston, 10th mo 16th, 1911.

Representatives from Meetings of Ministry and Oversight of the Monthly Meetings, have been appointed as follows:

Amesbury - Pliebe Clark, Cynthia Haviland,
Boston, - George A. Littlefield, Blanche R. Hawkes.
Lawrence, - Alice A. Hanson.
Lynn, - Ethel Austin, John Nadeau
W. Carlton Jones.

Of the eight Friends appointed, five were in attendance.

The terms of Sarah G. Brown and Katherine M. Goddard as elders in Amesbury Monthly Meeting have expired, and the Monthly

meeting recommends their reappointment for three years. The Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight approves these reappointments.

Boston Monthly Meeting forwards the following names of Friends to serve for three years, as elders in Boston Monthly Meeting: Louisa Prescott, Florence M. Selleck, George R. Taylor, Anslow Comstock, Phillips Bradley, Chester C. Smith. These names are approved by this meeting.

From Weare Monthly Meeting, the committee appointed to nominate elders, propose the names of Leon A. Reade and Frank W. Eaton. And these appointments are also approved for a term of three years.

Our privilege and responsibility as members of the larger body of Friends, have been dwelt upon. We are enjoined to be informed and aware, regarding the work of the world, and may well plan on inviting Friends who attend the approaching World Conference near Philadelphia, to visit our meetings afterward. The responsibility of meetings in need of a teaching ministry, with no paid minister in the whole Quarterly Meeting, rests upon the Meetings of Ministry and Oversight. Lean years may be in store for us unless we have a deepening spiritual life. We are urged to keep alive to the Friends

World Conference, and to keep in touch with Peace Work, also to encourage our young people to be active in good works. Service, under adult guidance, may help them as much as preaching. Visiting from one meting to another is encouraged.

The reading of the Queries is postponed, while the consideration of spiritual conditions in our Quarterly Meting has been prolonged.

No further business being at hand, the meting adjourns, to meet Fifth Month the seventeenth at Lunenburg.

Mabel C. Moody clerk.

The Meeting of Ministry and Oversight of Salem Quarterly Meeting, held at Amesbury 5th mo. 15th 1934.

Representatives from our respective meetings are as follows:-

Amesbury; A. Edward Kelsey and Phoebe Clark.

Lawrence; James H. Mellor Joseph Batty, Annie E. Goddard, Clara Atkinson.

Lynn; Ethel Austin, John Mader, and W. Carleton Jones

Boston; Blanche R. Howland, Gertrude Smith.

A minute from Lawrence Monthly Meeting was read, stating that the Committee on Nominations for elders suggest that James H. Rowley be appointed. The Monthly Meeting having united with this

appointment, the name is duly approved by the Quarterly Meeting Ministry and Oversight members, ~~and~~ due notice to be sent the Monthly Meeting to that effect.

A communication from Lynn meeting of Ministry and Oversight, states, This meeting acknowledges the gift and approves the public ministry of Jessie M La Rouche and we forward her name to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, for its consideration. The following Friends were named as a committee to consider this matter: George A Selleck, A Edward Kelsey, Alfred Osborne, Mabel C Moody and Helena Proudlove.

Friends from this body appointed to serve as Representatives

at the Yearly Meeting of Ministry and
Oversight Care

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Friends and Concord held at Lynn Mass. on the 21, 1837.

The reading of minutes of the last two meetings was omitted.

Representatives from local meetings in Number 1 accepted and from Lynn, Grace Atkins, Emma A. Fuller, Emma L. Tuttle Boston, Lucy Comstock

Laura M. Wales

Clerk pro tem: M. Esther Huntington, Edward Kelsey.

The Committee appointed to consider the recommendation from Lynn Meeting of Ministry and Oversight, presented at the last

quarterly Meeting, regarding the recording of Jesse W. La Bonte as a minister, as asked to continue in service and report as I was quarterly meeting Oct. 16 The remainder of the letter received by the Clerk, from the Clerk of the Yearly Mtg of Ministry & Oversight's has been lost or found.

The meeting adjourned.

Mabel C. Moody clerk

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight held at North Weare, N.H., October 16, 1937

In the absence of the preceding clerk George A. Silleck is appointed to that position for the day.

Representatives appointed by local meetings on Ministry and Oversight are as follows:

From Amesbury: Kate Goddard, Ruth E. Osborne, A. Edward Nelson

From Lawrence: Joseph Batty, Emily Batty

From Boston:

From Lynn: Emma Fisher, Grace Watkins.

A letter has been read from Agnes W Harrison, Clerk of the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, urging that our local meetings

should take care that persons apply-
ing for membership in our Society
be made acquainted with the
principles of the Religious Society
of Friends as set forth in the
Discipline. She suggests further that
applicants should be urged to wait,
worshiping with us until convinced
they desire to accept our principles
and follow them.

The following report of the committee
appointed in May has been read:-

"To Salem Quarterly Meeting in Ministry and Oversight
held at Weare, Tenth Month 16th, 1937

The committee appointed in May to
consider the recommendation that
Jessie W. La Rouche be recorded a

minister on the Society of Friends;
and which was requested at the Quarterly
Meeting on Ministry and Oversight to
consider this recommendation further,
has conferred and submits the
following report:

After conferring together further the
committee is united in feeling that
the recommendation should not receive
our endorsement. We therefore recommend
that the matter should not receive
further consideration at this time.

Respectfully submitted
for the committee

George A. Selleck, chairman"

After some discussion the report
has been accepted and the

committee discharged.

The meeting adjourned to meet at the appointed time in first Month.

George A. Selleck
Clerk for the day.

Salem Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight, held in Cambridge Massachusetts First No. 15, 1935

Minutes of last meeting have been read.

Representatives to this meeting from local meetings of Ministry and Oversight:

Amesbury, A. Edward Nelson and Marion E. Nelson.

Boston, Onslow Comstock, Chester Louise Prescott

Lawrence, Pauline Burdette, Clara Atkinson

Lynn, John H. Meader, Ethel Curtis A. Ella Clark.

Two appointed representatives were in attendance.

From Boston Monthly Meeting
a request for verification in the
appointment of elders, is requested.
The b. Meeting of Ministry and
Oversight has made no appointments
to the station of elder for several years,
recommends extending until First mo.
first 1944, the Term of Chester C. Smith
and Louisa Prescott, now serving.
This body approves of these appointments
for the time specified.
The appointment in Times Surry mo. Mo. Meeting
of Phebe C. Clark and Elizabeth Peaslee
to serve as elders for three years
is approved.
Deep consideration has been given
to the subject of our responsibility
in regard to the partaking of spiritual

lord. The subject of the duties of elders has claimed our attention and the passage pertaining thereto in Discipline, has been read, also the following parable: And behold, there was a tree. The fruits thereof did glisten upon the boughs & green & beauty thereof was brightness, and the eye beheld it with pleasure. But dryness took hold upon it, and with time the fruit did tarnish, because the tree had no roots and the fruit was not of the sap. Therefore in due time, its brightness, which was like unto beauty, but was not true beauty from within, and could not flourish, this brightness did vanish, and with a tinkling and a shower of dry needles, did the tree go the way of all Christmas trees. But behold! there is a tree, a tree that hath life. The roots thereof do take hold upon the sources of strength, and the boughs draw upon the sap, until vigor passes from

root to branch and the beauty of Wholeness of life shines from the tree and the fruits thereof are strengthening for those who have need. And verily I say unto you the lives of men are as the lives of trees. If man be cut off from the Source that would sustain him, or if he draw not thereupon, his branch shall wither, and though he adorn himself and put on brightness as of tinsel, yet shall dryness take hold upon him, and he shall wither.

The Queries have been read.
The meeting adjourned, to convene at the usual time.

Mabel Cartland Moody
clerk

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